

THE
ANTIQUITIES
OF
YORK CITY,
AND THE
Civil Government thereof:

WITH
A List of all the Mayors and Bayliffs,
Lord Mayors and Sheriffs, from the
Time of King EDWARD the First,
to this present Year, 1719.

Collected from the Papers of

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With Notes and Observations, and the Addition of
Ancient Inscriptions, and Coates of Arms, from
Gravestones and Church-windows.

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AND SINCE

Continued to this present Year, 1719. With an APPENDIX
of the Dimensions of YORK Minster, The Names of the
Founders, Repairers, and Benefactors. A Catalogue of all
the Religious Houses, Chappels, and Churches, that have
been, and at present are, in the said City. As also the Gifts
and Legacies to the Charity-Schools, with the Names of the
first Promoters and Founders thereof.

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TO
Sir William Robinson
OF
NEWBT, Baron^t
Member of Parliament
FOR THE
CITY of YORK.

SIR,

Whatever has the least Tendency to the Honour or Advantage of the City of YORK, I'm sure cannot fail of your Acceptance: You have always showed your Love and Affection to it by a continued adherence to its Interest; and upon all Occasions that offer'd, readily concurr'd with, and promoted, not only with your Assiduous Endeavours, but with your generous Benefactions, every thing proposed for retrieving its ancient Splendour and Glory; from which it is most unhappily fallen.

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This

The DEDICATION.

This City is not only the Metropolis of the North of that part of Great-Britain called England, but famous likewise for its Antiquity, having been the Residence of one Roman Emperor, and the place of the Nativity of another; and always during the Roman Government here, one of the most Noted Colonies in this Island: And since that time, bath ever been remarkable and eminent in History, sometimes for the Residence of our Kings, and their holding of Parliaments here, and no less for its being the Title of the second Son, as Duke of York, of the Kings and Queens of this Realm; and has ever been accounted the second City in England, its Mayor being Honoured with the Stile of Lord, which none besides the great and opulent City of London enjoyeth in this Kingdom. And formerly it had its Court of Chancery, with four Terms in the year, for all Business on the North side of Trent, as now at Westminster for all England.

And as to the Ecclesiastical State, It has been an Arch-Bishop's See, of that Antiquity, that it has disputed the Primacy with that of Canterbury: But however that may be, it

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Jurisdiction was anciently much larger, extending from the Confines of the River Trent over all Scotland.

But all things here are subject to time and Chance! The not long since devouring Civil War, and Unnatural Rebellion, as it made prodigious Waste in this Kingdom, it had most Malignant Effects and influences on this Ancient and Loyal City, as its Surrender to the then irresistible force of the Rebell Army, had on the whole Nation; and ever since that fatal Epocha, its Grandure has gradually declin'd and sunk.

This Ancient and Honourable City you have several years represented in Parliament, as your Uncle Sir Metcalf Robinson Baronet had done before you; and you will find not only your self, but that worthy Gentleman your Son, inrolled in the Catalogue of the Honourable the Lord Mayors of this City: You Sir stand likewise in the City Rolls, recorded for your good Deeds to it, Your Bountifull Gifts to the Charity School, to the Manufacture Society, in order to the Setting the Poor on Work, for your Annual Benefit to the Citizens in general, both in permitting your ground to be exposed

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exposed to a publick Horse Race, and at your own Charge Building a Bridge for its convenience, which with its being in the Neighbourhood of this City (where the best Accommodations of all things necessary for Strangers are not wanting) make it one of the most agreeable Races in the Kingdom.

I cannot forbear to add Sir, That all those Good and Generous Qualities are no less promising in the Worthy young Gentleman your Son our last Lord Mayor, who beyond his Years, with great Application, has attained such a Knowledge in the Affairs and Government of the City, as has engaged the Affections, as well as Admiration of the Citizens, and which may make him no less Useful and Considerable than his Father.

Upon these Considerations it is, that I have made Choice of you Sir for this Dedication, as well as to do my self the Honour of Subscribing,

Your most Obedient, and

most Humble Servant,

Tork, March 2d.

1719.

Francis Hildyard.

T O

Robert Fairfax, Esq;

Alderman of the City of York.

S I R,

TO Publish the *Antiquities of the City of T O R K*, without some Acknowledgment how Propitious Your Name and Family has been to this Ancient City, would be injurious and ungrateful to its Benefactors: That generous and tender Regard of the then Lord Fairfax (altho' at that time in a detestable Rebellion against his Sovereign) to the Preservation of that Ancient and most Magnificent Structure the Cathedral of this City, when he Commanded the Parliament Army at the Siege of it, by making it Death to level a Gun against it, notwithstanding it was then a Refuge and Shelter to the Loyal Citizens who defended it against Him, and his saving the City, as well as its Cathedral, from being made an Heap of Rubbish, ought always to be remembered with a due Respect.

The noble Lords, the Inheritors of his Name, Honour, and Estate, were for many Tears Representatives in Parliament for the County of T O R K, and always had a particular Respect to the Honour and Interest of the City: And your self, Sir, after many Tears faithful Service to the Crown and Nation, in Your Discharge of the several Commands You had in the Sea-service, and after having had the Honour of serving his Royal Highness Prince G O E R G E, our then most Gracious Queen's Consort, as one of his Honourable Council at the Admiralty Board, out of the Affection You bore to it, chose to make Your Retirement in this City, and become a Member of the Corporation, where You had not long resided, before the Citizens became acquainted with,

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and sensible of, those good Qualities, which shewed both the Christian and the Gentleman, and in consequence of which You was upon our late Gracious Queen ANN calling her last Parliament most deservedly chosen one of the Representatives for the City in which Honourable Station You was ready to apply Your self to answer the Occasions of every particular Citizen.

Upon the first Vacancy in the Bench You was chosen to supply it and in your Turn was Elected Lord Mayor for the Year 1715 a year, which will be Memorable in our English Annals, and which by the Rebellion then on foot against his Majesty King George, required the greatest Prudence, Courage and Steadiness in the Chief Magistrate; All which were so Apparent in your discharge of that Office, as made every thing safe and easie under your Administration, and procured you the Honour of a Letter of Thanks from his Majesties Secretary of State.

Thus Sir, in your several Stations, you have always had the Satisfaction and Applause of dischargeing your Duty: And may Heaven Bless and Prosper all your good Designs and Endeavours for the Publick Good and that of this City in particular; and may all who enjoy the happy Benefit and Influence of them, be as ready upon all Occasions to Express their Gratitude and Acknowledgements, as ever shall be.

Sir,

Your most Humble, and

most Obedient Servant,

York, March 2d.

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Francis Hildyard



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 OF
 YORK-CITY.



Argent on a Cross Gules,
 5 Lyons of England Or.

THOSE, who believe the *British* Its Name.
 History, will have the City called
Caer-Ebranc (i. e. the City of a
British King Named *Ebranc*) reported to *Caer-Ebranc*,
 have been the Founder.

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But seeing there is no certain Account of Things extant in this Nation, before the coming of *Julius Caesar* hither, we may observe that then it was called *Is-Urium Brigantium*, as being the Chief City of the *Brigantes*, who Inhabited these Northern-Counties of the Realm.

Likewise by the *Romans* it was called *Eboracum*, or *Eboracum*, as derived from the River *Ure*, (by the *Saxons* named *Onse*) which watereth and divideth it into two Parts. *Camb. Brit.* 701.

Afterwards by the *Saxons* it was named *Eboz-wic*, or *Eboz-wic*, or *Esofoz-wic*, (*Evo* signifying a Wild-boar, and *Wic*, a Place of Retreat) as probably a Refuge from wild Boars, which then might have been in the Forest of *Gaw-tres* hard by.

Lastly, by the *English* at this day it is called *YORK*: as some way extracted from the word *Ure* or *Onse*.

After the *Romans* had left *Britain* for a Prey to barbarous Nations, this City suffered her part of all those Miseries. *C. Br.* 704.

And about the End of the *Scotish* and *Saxon* Wars, it was but a small Shadow of a great Name, for when *Paulinus* Preached to the *English Saxons* in *Anno Dom.* 627. it lay so desolate, that there remained not so much as a Chappel in it, for King *Edmyn* to

to be Baptized in: He being necessitated to build a little Oratory of Wood for that purpose: (It seems that the Temple erected in it, in Honour of the Goddess *Bellona*, was then demolished.) C. B. 704.

After this, The City flourished notably for a time, under the *Saxon's* Dominion, untill the *Danes* defaced it with exceeding *Danish Ruins* great Ruins. Especially in the Year 867. The Walls were so battered and shaken by reason of continual Wars, that the Two Kings of *Northumberland*, viz. *Osbright* and *Ella*, whilst they pursued the *Danes* easily brake into the City; who, in the very midst thereof (being both of them slain, after a most bloody Battle) left the Victory unto them. *Camb. Brit.* 705.

But King *Athelston* won it *per Force* out of their hands, and quite over-threw the Castle which they had there fortified. Yet for all this it was not free from Wars in the succeeding times, whilst that Age was fatal for the Destruction of Cities. C. Br. 705.

In *Anno Dom.* 1067. (1st of *William I.*) When the Sons of *Swenæ* had landed in these Parts, with a *Danish* Fleet of 240 Sail, the *Normans* lying in Garrison here, and kept two Forts within the City, fearing lest the Houses in the *Suburbs* might stand the Enemy in stead to fill up the Ditches, set them on fire, which by reason of the Wind, spread through

through the City, thus a burning, the *Danes* brake in upon them, put the *Normans* to the Sword, and by Decimation Executed every Tenth man. Whereupon K. *William* Conq. was so incensed with Revenge, and being suspicious that the Citizens had taken part with the *Danes*, as by Fire and Sword he almost destroyed the whole City. And the better to keep them in awe, he raised a most strong Castle. C. Br. 705. 702. D-s Day B. 6.

After these troublesome Storms were over (notwithstanding the Danger it lay in, both from *Scots* and Rebels) the City rose again of it self, and began to Re-flourish.

But in the Reign of K. *Stephen*, it caught exceeding great Harm by Fire, wherein were consumed the Cathedral, St. *Mary's* Abbey, and other Religious Houses. C. Br. 706.

In the Reign of K. *Edward* I. The Citizens Fenced it round about with new Walls, with Towers and Bulworks set orderly in divers Places. C. Br. 706.

And the Four Barrs, seem to have been Rebuilt or Repaired, in the time of King *Edward* the Third.

In the time of K. *Edward* Confess. This City paid to the King the Annual Tribute of 53 Pounds by Weight. And to *William* Conq. an Hundred Pounds *per Annum*: As appears by Domesday-Book. B. H. 290.

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The City is in Circumference two Miles and almost three Quarters; which is thus measured, viz.

Circumference.

From the Red-Tower to Walingate-Barr	60	
From thence to Fishergate-Postern	99	
From thence to Castlegate-Postern	58	
From thence to Skeldergate-Postern	34	
From thence to Micklegate-Barr	136	} Pearches
From thence to Northstreet-Postern	140	
From thence to Bowtham-Barr	86	
From thence to Monck-Barr	116	
From thence to Lathorpe-Postern	66	
From thence to the Red-Tower	80	

Total --- 875 Pearches

That is, 2 Miles, 5 Furlongs, and 192 half Yards.

Surveyed the 6th Febr. 1664 } by Joh. Raine.
14th Aug. 1665 }

Onse-bridge consists of Three Arches. Onse-bridge.

The middle Arch is wide --- 27 } Yards.
and high --- 17 }
(B. 17.)

1st. of Henry the Fifth.

The Bounds and Limits of the City, as they were taken in the 1st of Henry the V. are thus, viz.

Bounds and Limits

From the River Onse on the West which is to Fleetbridge, against the Teyghelhouse in the Bishopsfields, extending by one Ditch *ibid.* as far as the Bridge to the the End of Holgate-Town.

Thence

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Thence as far as the Outgange in the Moor called *Phorkys More*.

Thence beyond *Knaresmire* as far as *Haydale Cross*, in the way which leads to *Bishop-Thorpe*.

Thence beyond the Water of *Ouse* as far as the Cross standing against the *Orene-Dykes* in the way leading to *Fulford*.

Thence from the River *Ouse* on the North, viz. From the Bridge in *Le-Fleting* which is called *Little-Ing* so extending by the *Dyke*, and a Meere against the *Spittle-Well*, by the way as far as the *Abbot of St. Maries Miln*.

And thence as far as the *Magdalen-Spytel* in the High-way which leads to *Clyfton*.

And so as far as the Mill of *John de Roncliff*.

And thence as far as the *Watergate* in the Outgange upon the Moor.

And so by the Meere, as far as the *White-Stane-Cross* upon *Astill-briggs*.

Thence beyond the Water of *Fosse*, against the Water-Mills of the *Abbot of St. Mary* extending to the Cross upon *Heworth-moor*, (upon which Moor is a Common of Pasture for all the Citizens of *York* in those Crosses beyond the *Kennyndykes*.)

Item, From the Cross upon *Heworth-moor* as far as the *Theef-brigg*, and so extending as far as the Cross against the Brigg, from beyond *St. Nicholas Miln*, in the Highway leading to *Kexby*.

And

And from that Cross as far as the Cross in the Grenedykes, and the Gallows of St. Leonard.

And thence to the wooden Cross in the way which leads to *Fulford* against *Algarth*-like, and so extending as far as the Spring called *Hawkes-well*, directly to the Water of *Onse*, where the Citizens of *York* have a Common of Pasture. C. B. 196.

23d. of *Henry* the Sixth.

There was another Boundary taken of the City of *York*, on the 15th of *November* in the 23d Year of *Henry* the VI. which is as followeth, viz. Beginning from the River of *Onse* on the North, as far as a certain Bridge in *Le-Fleting* called *Little-Ingg*, extending by a Dyke and a Meere, against the *Spittle-well*, by the way against the *Abbot* of *St. Maries* Mill.

Another Boundary.

And thence as far as the *Magdalen-spittle* in the High-way which leads to *York*, as far as *Clyfton*.

And so as far as the Mill of one *John de Roucliff* (but now of the Heirs of Sir *William Ingleby*, Knight.)

And thence by the way against the Gallows of the *Abbot* of *St. Maries YORK*, (where was anciently a Water-gate in the Outgange which leads to the Forrest of *Gawtres*, as far as a certain wooden Bridge there)

there) and so by the Meer as far as White-stone Cross upon *Astel-Bridge*.

And so by the great Stone as far as the Water of *Fosse*, always descending on the West-side of the River, as far as the *Abbat* of *St. Maries* Water-Mills aforesaid.

And thence beyond *Fosse-dyke* against the said Mills on the South, extending as far as a certain place, where the wooden Cross stands upon *Heworth* Moor, against the way leading to *Stockton*.

So from thence against the Cross of Stone at the West end of the Town of *Heworth*, as far as the Street.

And so by the way as far as the Cross, in the way which leads to *Osbaldwike*.

So proceeding in the High-way which leads to *Kexby*, as far as the way against the Bridge from beyond the Mill of *St. Nicholas*.

And so returning from the said Cross against the said Miln, by the way leading to the *Greene-dyke*, against the Close of the Hospital of *St. Nicholas* aforesaid.

And thence as far as the Cross in *Greene-dykes*, against the Gallows of *St. Leonard*.

And thence beyond *Tylmyre*, by the way as far as the Cross of Wood, in the way leading to *Fulford* against *Hallgarth-sike*, and so extending directly as far as the Water of *Ouse*, and beyond *Ouse*, as far as a certain Cross called *Wydale* Cross, in the way leading to the City of *Tork* as far as *Bishop-Thorpe*.

And

And thence directly beyond the Fields (called the *New-Fields* crossing *Knaresmire*, from beyond the Gallows there standing on the South-side) as far as the Outgange leading to the Moor called *YORK-Moor*; and thence by a certain Rivulet as far as the Bridge at *Wolgate Town-end*, descending thence by a Ditch there on the West, as far as *Flete-bridge* in the *Bishop-field* on the West side of the River *Ouse*. B. 217.

The City's Government.

IN the time of the *Romans* possessing this Island, it was one of their principal Colonies, or Municipal Towns, which either enjoyed its proper or special Officers, Laws and Priviledges; or else the same Priviledges which *Rome* it self had. Its Govern-
ment.
Colony.

And here was the Station of that beloved Legion of *Severus*, called *Sexta Victrix*; *Legio Sexta
Victrix.* (which at first the Emperor *Hadrian* brought out of *Germany*, *Anno Chr. 121*) as appears by a Piece of the Emperor *Severus* his Coin; on the Reverse whereof is, COL. EBORACUM LEG. VI. VICTRIX. C.Br. 702. *Seld. Ti. 28.*

Moreover, The said Emperor *Severus* had his Palace here, and also his Tribunal of Justice, for the well Government of the Province, who (after his Return from his Northern Expedition against the *Caledonians*

in *Scotland*) died here *Anno Dom.* 212. where his Body was by his Soldiers carried forth into a Place Westward of this City (near *Akham*) and there bestowed in a funeral Fire, and honoured with solemn Justings. *C. Br.* 703.

Mayor and
Bayliffs.

It was time out of mind Governed by a Mayor and Three Bayliffs, yet the Style of the Corporation in those Days sometimes ran, *Civitatibus Ebor.* as when *K. Henry III.* granted to the Citizens of *YORK*, That none of them should Implead or be Impleaded before Himself, or any of his Justices out of the City, for Lands or Tenements, which they held within the City, or the Liberties of the same, or of any other Trespas; but only before the Mayor and Bayliffs. *B.* 37.

Lord Mayor

Sword.

In the 12th of *Richard II.* (1389.) The King appointed the supreme Officer to be called Lord Mayor, and gave his Sword wherewith himself was girt to be born before him.

Mace.

And in the 16th of *Richard II.* The King gave the first Mace to be born before the Lord Mayor and Bayliffs, as another Ensign of Authority.

Justices of
the Peace.

Likewise about the same time, The King granted to the Mayor and Twelve Aldermen for the time Being, or to Four, Three, or Two of them, with the said Mayor, full Power to hear and determine all Things, and

and Matters within the City and Liberties thereof, as His Justices of the Peace, (of Labourers and Artificers) have without the same.

May 18. in 19. of Richard II. 1396.

King *Richard II.* by his Charter then bearing Date at *Westm.* under the Privy-Seal, for the great Affection which he bore to the City of *YORK*, and to the Mayor, Aldermen, and Community of the same, and in Consideration of their singular Loyalties and good Services, done to him in times past, did grant to the said Citizens, their Heirs and Successors for ever; That the said City, with its Suburbs and Precincts, according to the Terms and Bounds limited in a certain Roll, which is within the Body of the County of *YORK*, be separate from the County of the same, and be thenceforth exempt both by Land and Water, and be a County of it self, and be called, *The County of the City of YORK*, for ever. And that the said Citizens, their Heirs and Successors, have within the same Limits, these subscribed Liberties and Franchizes, viz.

That every Mayor of the City, for the time being, and as soon as he is Elected, shall be the King's Escheator in the City of *YORK*, and Suburbs, and Precincts of the same.

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And

Two Sheriffs

And the Citizens, their Heirs and Successors for ever, shall have instead of the Three Bayliffs, Two Sheriffs of the said County of the City who shall be Annually chosen after this manner, *viz.* That the Citizens and Community shall every Year, from amongst themselves, chuse two fit Persons to be Sheriffs; who, after the said Election, shall make due Oath before the Mayor within the City, and then their Names shall be returned under their Common Seal into the King's Chancery; So that the said Escheator and Sheriffs do answer the King in his Exchequer, all the Issues and Profits of their respective Offices. And that these Sheriffs of the City shall hold their County Court every *Monday* in each Month, as the other Sheriffs of the Counties within the Kingdom use to do. Or as the Bayliff of the City before them were wont to hold.

Conusance
of Pleas.

Furthermore, The King granted to the Citizens, their Heirs and Successors for ever That none shall Implead or be Impleaded for any of their Lands and Tenements, held within the Liberties of the City, or for any Trespass done within the same, before any of the King's Justices without the City, but only before the Mayor and Sheriffs thereof. But if the Plea cannot be Determined before them, then at the Sute of the Plaintiff, shall be Tryed before the King's Justices *Itinerant* within the City. Also that the Mayor

and Sheriffs shall have Cognizance of Pleas of Trespasses, Covenants, and Contracts within the City and Suburbs thereof; as the said Mayor and Bayliffs before time used to have.

Likewise, He granted that the Mayor and Citizens shall have *Conusance* of all Pleas of Affizes, *Novel Disseizen* and *Mort Dancester* for their Lands and Tenements within the City, as well before the King's Justices of both the Benches, as before his Justices of Affize or *Itinerant*, or any other of his Justices or Ministers authorized to take Affizes, before the Mayor and Sheriffs in the *Guild-Hall* of T O R K.

Also, He granted to the Citizens, their Heirs and Successors, to have all the Fines, Issues, Forfeitures and Amercements appertaining to Justices of Peace within the Liberties of the City, to support the Reparation of the Bridges thereof, and other Emergent Burdens.

Fines.

And, That the said Mayor, Aldermen, and Community shall for ever have the Forfeiture of Victuals; as of Bread and Ale, and of other Things which do not pertain to Merchandizes.

Also he granted, That the Mayor and his Successors, for the time being, shall have born before them out of the King's Presence, that Sword which he before had given them, or any other Sword which they pleased,

Sword of State.

pleased, to be erected within the Precincts thereof.

Serjeants of
the Mace.

And, That the Serjeants of the Keys of the Mayor and Sheriffs, for the time being, shall carry their Keys of Gold and Silver adorned with the King's Arms; as well in the King's Presence, as in the Presence of his Royal Consort, or of his Mothers, &c. within the City, &c.

Moreover, He granted to the Citizens for ever, That neither the *Seneschall* or *Marshall* of his Royal Household, nor Clerk of the Market thereof, shall from thenceforth in his Presence or Absence, Enter or Sit within the Liberties of the City, so as to Exercise their Offices therein, &c.

Purveyors.

And, That none of the King's Purveyors of his Castles, or Officers of Victuals, shall take any Prizes or Victuals out of the Goods of the Citizens, throughout the City against their Free-will, unless it be for the King's necessary Victuals; for which a reasonable Price shall be payed.

Coroners.

Lastly, He granted to the Citizens, their Heirs and Successors, That the Coroners of the City and their Successors for the time being, shall for ever Exercise their Offices both in the King's Presence or Absence, as they used to do time out of mind.

Ainestly.

In the 26th Year of *Henry* the VI. The Ainesty was annexed to the City.

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The Kings of *England*, by their Royal Charters, granted and confirmed to the Mayor and Commonalty of the City, and their Successors for ever, all the Liberties which they held by Prescription; and all and singular the Parishes, Towns, Granges, and Hamlets following, *viz.* St. Mary-gate, Bortham, Clifton, Roccliffe, Heworth, Grange-field, Osbaldwick, Tang-hall, Hallfield, Westington, Gate-Fulford, and Water-Fulford, as Parcels of the County of the City, and as such always to be annexed to the same. And that all and singular the Inhabitants therein shall be subject to the Laws, Ordinances and Constitutions of the City, and under the Government and Direction of the Mayor and Commonalty thereof. And that the Mayor, Escheator, and Sheriffs of the County of the said City shall for ever have full Power, Authority and Jurisdiction, within the said Parishes, Towns and Hamlets, as they lie within the County of the City.

Towns with its Liberty.

And that the said Mayor and Commonalty of the City, and their Successors shall have the Goods and Chattels of Felons, fugitives outlawed, and Wayved Persons; and of Felons *de se*, Deodands, Forfeitures, cheats, and of all Fines, Forfeitures and merchements before Justices of the Peace, arising within the said Precincts, without any Account to be made thereof to the King.

Felons Goods, &c.

Like

Justices of
Peace.

Likewise, That the Mayor, Recorder and Aldermen of the City, for the time being, shall be Justices of the King's Peace within the said County of the City (whereof the Mayor, Recorder, and Two of the senior Aldermen shall be of the *Quorum*.)

Freedom
from Juries.

Furthermore, The King granted that no Citizen or Inhabitant within those Towns belonging to the County of the City, shall be put upon any Forreign Recognisance, Jury, Inquisition of Assizes or Attaint, but only to serve upon Sheriff, or Coroner Inquests, within the City, or County of the same.

Walls Re-
pair.

And forasmuch as the City Walls are liable to Decay, and cannot be kept in Repair without the Contribution of the Inhabitants, Authority was granted to the Mayor, Recorder and Sheriffs, or the major Part of them, from time to time as they should think necessary, to Assess and Tax all and singular the Inhabitants and Residents within the City of T O R K, (as well within the Liberty of St. Peter, as elsewhere within the Precincts of the City) in any Sum of Money towards the Repairs of the said Walls, Stairs, Bridges, and of the Wharf called, The King's Stayth; and in Case of Refusal to pay, That they shall Levy the said Sum Imposed by Distress and Sale, &c.

And, That the Commonalty of the City ^{Commonality,}
shall consist of the compleat Number of 72 ^{or Common-}
Persons, viz. Eighteen out of every of the ^{Council.}
Four Wards of the City, to be Elected out
of the most discreet and able Citizens, by
the Mayor, Aldermen, Sheriffs, and of those
who have been Sheriffs of the City, and
these together shall be called, The Common
Council of the City. And that within 15
Days space after the Death, Removal, or ^{Election of}
Recession of any Common-Council-Man, ^{a Common-}
then the said Common-Council shall congre- ^{Council-man}
gate in the *Guild-Hall*, before the Mayor,
Aldermen and Sheriffs, who then and there,
upon their Oaths (or the major Part of
them) shall Vote, Nominate, Elect and De-
clare Three of the most able and discreet
Citizens within the same Ward, in which
the said respective Person that made the Va-
cancy did reside; and shall present their
Names to the Mayor, Aldermen and Sheriffs,
and to those who have been Sheriffs; who
all, or the major Part of them upon their
Oaths, shall Elect and Nominate One of the
said Three Persons so presented to them, to
be of the Common-Council, in the place of
the Party so Dead, or Removed, which said
Common-Council of the City, for the time
being, shall have their Votes in the Election
of the Mayor, Aldermen and Sheriffs, and in
all and singular the other Acts, Matters and
Concerns of the City, as the *Common-Council*
used to have, C And

Sheriffs
Elected.

And, That the said *Common-Council* shall Yearly, on the Feast of *St. Matthew* Apostle, assemble in the *Guild-Hall*, before the Mayor Aldermen and Sheriffs, to whom they shall, upon their several Oaths, Nominate, Elect, and Present Four of the discreetest and ablest Citizens, (which have not been Aldermen nor Sheriffs before) that Two of the same Four, may be Elected Sheriffs, from the Feast of *St. Michael* the Arch-Angel for the whole Year ensuing by the Mayor, Aldermen and Sheriffs, or the major Part of them, who within three Days after such Presentation of the Four Names to them made, shall in the *Guild-Hall* Nominate Two to serve as Sheriffs, and by them to be Sworn on *Michaelmas* Day.

Aldermen
Elected.

And when any Alderman happens to die, be removed, or recedes, That then the said *Common-Council*, for the time being, within reasonable time after, shall congregate in the *Guild-Hall*, on a certain Day by the Mayor appointed, before the Mayor, Aldermen and Sheriffs, to whom they shall, upon their several Oaths, nominate and present Three able Citizens, out of which, they may Nominate and Elect one for an Alderman, who within Ten Days after such Presentation made, shall in the *Guild-Hall* be Elected, and Sworn by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Sheriffs or the major Part of them.

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Furthermore, It is granted, that upon the 15th Day of *January* every Year, the Common-Council shall assemble in the *Guild-Hall* before the Mayor, Aldermen and Sheriffs, and upon their Oaths, nominate and present the Names of Three of the most discreet and able Aldermen of the City, (such as have not within six Years past been Mayor of the same) who shall upon their Oaths nominate and Elect one to be sworn Mayor of the City to serve from the Feast of *St. Blase*, for the Year ensuing. Lord Mayor
Elected.

And, That every Alderman and Sheriff shall reside with their Families within the City, and not be absent beyond the space of Sixty Days in a Year, without License of the Mayor, Aldermen and Sheriffs, under Penalty of Five Shillings *per diem* for an Alderman, and for a Sheriff so absent, Two Shillings Sixpence *per diem*. And that they shall always pay Scott and Lott, and other Taxations of the City while they are so absent. Residence.

And, That every Eldest Son of a Citizen, when he comes to the Age of 21 Years, shall publicly present himself before the Mayor, and make Oath that he will observe and pay all the Taxations and Assessments subject to the City, and also pay the reasonable Fine laid upon him by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Sheriffs; and then he shall to all Intentions enjoy the Liberties and Priviledges of the City, as a Free Citizen thereof. Citizens Eldest Son's
Oath.

FAIR.

Then was Granted and Confirmed to the Mayor and Commonalty, and their Successors, to hold in the City or Suburbs thereof, One Yearly Fair on *Thursday* next before the Feast of our Ladies Purification, together with a Court of Pipowders during the time of the Fair, and to receive the Toll, Stallage, Fines, Amerciaments, &c. appertaining.

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A
CATALOGUE
OF THE
MAYORS and BAYLIFFS,
Lord MAYORS and SHERIFFS,
OF THE
CITY of YORK.

From the First Year of *Edward the First*,
until *Anno Dom.* 1719.

King EDWARD the First.

A. Dom.

Mayors.

Bailiffs.

1273. **R**obert de Bromholme,
First Mayor.

*Gilbert de Luda.
Henry de Holtby.
Joh. de Coniston.*

1274. Joh. le Spencer, 1.

*Henry de Holtby.
Joh. de Sutton.
Joh. de Coniston.*

1275. Joh. de Bromholme, 1.

*Robert Bloome.
Robert Moore.
Andr. de Bullingbrook.*

1276.

<i>A. Dom.</i>	<i>Mayors.</i>	<i>Bayliffs.</i>
1276.	Jo. de Bromholme, 2.	Jo. le Spicer. Job. de Conistone. Jo. de Sutton.
1277.	Jo. de Bromholme, 3.	Stephen Tugbler, Roger Bomal. Job. de Conistone.
1278.	* Walter de Stokes, and Sir Gilbert de Luda, 1.	Nicholas de Selby. Peter de Sancton. William Sleight.

* The said *Walter Stokes* being very aged, and not Capable to execute his Office; In the midst of his Year, Sir *Gilb. de Luda*, Kt. was Elected Mayor in his stead.

1279.	Jo. Sampson, 1.	Nicholas le Spicer Nicholas de Selby. Roger Wacy.
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These three Years the Mayoralty was in
 1280. } the King's Hands, and *Richard Romanderby*
 1281. } had the Custody of the City committed to
 1282. } him, *Anno Dom. 1281.*

1283.	Jo. Sampson, 2.	Ja. de Liffington. Will. Sleight. Rog. Worall.
1284.	Sir Gilbert de Luda, 2.	Roger de Carleton. Clement Pomfract. Hugh de Sutton.
1285.	Jo. Sampson, 3.	Nicholas de Langton Job. Lawys. Nicholas de Selby.

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1286.	Nich. de Selby, 1, 2, 3.	Peter de Appleby.
1287.		Remeris Sperry.
1288.		Nicholas de Blund.
1289.	The Mayoralty was in in the King's Hands.	Peter de Sancton. Adam Warthill. Ralph Wyles.
1290.	Roger de Baby, 1.	Peter Appleby. John de Warthill. Ralph Wyles.
1291.	Jo. le Spicer, 1.	Will. Lyngetayle. Stephen le Caldronn. Robert de Hessay.

These Five Years the Mayoralty was in the King's Hands, and Sir *John Melfa*, or *Meanx*, was Governour of the City, who was a great Warriour, and tall of Stature, as appeareth by some of his Arms; and namely, his Helmet, still to be seen in *Albrough Church* in *Holderneſe*, were he lyeth Buried under a fair Monument, no ways defaced, upon which is Engraven in Stone, the Arms of *Roos*, *Oatred*, *Fulco de Oyry*, *Hastings*, *Laſſels*, *Hilton*, and others.

And the King removed hither His *Exchequer* and *Courts of Juſtice*, where they continued above Six Years. *C. Br. 107.*

1297.	Nich. de Langton, 1.	Simon Sichman. John Boni. John Skipton.
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<i>A. Dom.</i>	<i>Mayors.</i>	<i>Bayliffs.</i>
1298.	James Fleming, 1.	Laurance Fleming. William Langley. Robert Meeke.
1299.	Jo. Samson, 4.	Thomas Appleby. Ralf Faire. Laur. Flower.
1300.	Jo. Sampson, 5.	William de Osney. Nicholas Pocklington William Sparrie.
1301.	Jo. le Spicer, 2.	Gilbert Arnald. Ralf Lyncolne. Thomas Selbye.
1302.	Jo. le Spicer, 3.	Robert de Walton. Andrew Bullingbrook William Dornil.
1303.	Jo. le Spicer, 4.	William Usburne. Barth. de Newcastle. Vincent Wardnell.

In this Year, THOMAS, Fifth Son to K. Edward the First, by Queen Margaret his second Wife, Sister of Phillip the Fair, King of France, and Eldest Daughter of Phillip the Hardy, Son of St. Lewis, was Born at Brotherton, a little Village in Yorkshire.

In this Year, The Courts of the King's-Bench and Exchequer, having remained about Seven Years at YORK, were removed to London, upon the King's Command, who then Visited YORK, in his Return from Scotland.

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Bayliffs.

1304. John le Spicer, 5.

Thomas Borovit.

Walter Whitem.

Rob. Lyndsey.

1305. Andr. Bullingbroke, 1.

Jo. de Appleby

Walter Gower.

Walter Fleming.

1306. Nich. de Langton, 2.

John de Appleby.

Walter Gower.

Walter Fleming.

King Edward the Second.

1307. Jo. de Askam, 1.

Richard de Allerton.

Roger de Roston.

Adam Stockfield.

1308. Jo. de Askam, 2.

Adam de Pocklington.

Gyles Brabance.

Allan Stockfield.

1309. Andr. Bullingbroke, 2.

William de Rednes.

Richard Cattan.

Allan Stockfield.

1310. Robert le Meeke, 1.

William de Rednes.

William Gimpley.

Richard Bilbrough.

1311. Nicholas Fleming, 1.

Thomas Agviler.

Robert Wistow.

William Grantham.

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*A. Dom.**Mayors.**Bayliffs.*

This Year, being the 4th of *Edward* the Second,
The King kept his *Christmas* at *YORK*, and caused
the Walls to be Repair'd.

1312. Nicholas Fleming, 2.

*Walter de Scorby.**John. Lecester.**William Usburne.*

1313. Nicholas Fleming, 3.

*Allan de Appleby.**John de Beverley.**Nicholas de Catton.*

1314. Nicholas Fleming, 4.

*John de Efeby.**Allan Sleigh.**John le Fysche.*

1315. Nicholas Fleming, 5.

*Walter de Sutton.**Richard de Duffield.**William Abbay.*

1316. Nicholas Fleming, 6.

*Thomas Alwarthorpe.**Nicholas de Colom.**Richard le Toller.*

1317. Robert le Mecke, 2.

*Adam de Kingston.**Jordan Savage.**Thomas Davy.*

1318. Thomas de Rednes

*William Fox.**William de Dureme.**Robert de Selby.*

This Year, being the 11th of *Edward* the Second
The *Exchequer* was kept at *YORK*, and the King be-
ing here, the *Scots* entred *England*, came to *YORK*
burnt the *Suburbs*, and took *John* Earl of *Britain*, the
Ear

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Earl of *Richmond*, and many other, Prisoners. And a Controversy arose between the Citizens of *YORK*, and others of *London*, occasioned by certain slanderous Words, whereby several on both sides were slain.

1319. *Nich. Fleming*, 7. *John Raine.*
 John Batchelsay.
 John Orback.

This Year the Scots entred *England*, and were met the 12th of *September* (being *Wednesday*) at *Myton super Swale*, by a great Number of *English*, amongst whom was this Mayor, *Nicholas Flemings*, with a great Company of Citizens, where he was slain, having been Seven times Mayor: And lies interr'd in the Church of *St. Wilfride*, *YORK*. For whose sake on the 11th *Kal. of September*, 1320. An Indulgence was granted of 40 Days Relaxation of Sins, to all the Parishoners thereof, who (being truly Contrite, Penitent, and Confessed) should faithfully say for his Soul, The Lord's Prayer, and the Salutation of the Blessed Virgin. And for him was a Chantry there founded.

And on the 21st of *October*, 1319. *Elena Flemings* his Widow took her Solemn Oath of Chastity, from the sacred Hands of Arch-Bishop *William de Melton*, in the Chappel of his Mannor at *Thorpe*. A. E. 136,

1320. *Rob. le Meeke*, 3. *Richard Colvert.*
 Richard Tinmache.
 John Scorsby.
 Nicholas Saxer.
 John de Selby.
 William Friston.

1321. *Rob. le Meeke*, 4.

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Robert Meekes, who had been Four times Lord Mayor of this City, died about this Year; and lies Buried in *Crux Church*, (I presume) for there is a Chantry ordained for him.

In this 15th Year of *Edward the II.* was a Parliament held at *T O R K*, and the King kept his *Christmas* here also.

1322. *Nichol. Langton, Eldest
Son of the former Nicholas.*

*Nicholas Foulkes.
Robert Melsby.
Robert Would.*

1323. *Nic. Langton, 2.*

*John de Colne.
Nigellus le Potter.
Richard Balne.*

1324. *Nic. Langton, 3.*

*John Housum.
Th. Bilham or Bithom
Andrew Boffale.*

1325. *Nic. Langton, 4.*

*Simon Gower
William Icon.
Richard Tickell.*

King Edward the Third.

1326. *Nic. Langton, 5.*

*Simon Gower.
William Icon.
Richard Tickell.*

This Year, Sir *John* of *Henalt* coming with Five Hundred Men in Aid of the King against the *Scots*, who falling at Difference with the *English* at *T O R K*,
upon

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Upon *Trinity* Sunday 80 *Lincoln-shire* Men were slain, and were buried under a Stone in *St. Clement's Church-Yard* in *Fosse-gate*, and much of the City was burnt at the same time.

1327. Nicholas Langton, 6.

John Wome.

Nicholas Scoreby.

William Hocham.

1328. Nicholas Langton, 7.

William Rednes.

William Selby.

John Pickard.

1329. Nicholas Langton, 8.

Henry Belton.

Thomas Askam.

William Batnell.

This Year, on the 24th Day of *January*, the King married *Philippa*, Daughter of *William* Earl of *Hanalt* and *Holland*, at *YORK*.

1330. Nicholas Langton, 9.

Stephen Settrington.

Richard Brighenball.

Thomas Farriner.

1331. Nicholas Langton, 10.

Will. de Bourghbrygge

John de Catton.

John de Moreby.

1332. Nicholas Langton, 11.

Henry Loibatour.

William Fische.

William Estrington

1333. Nicholas Langton, 12.

William Grantham

Richard Lacester

William Region.

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1334. Nicholas Langton, 13.

*Henry Scorby.**Robert Dalby.**Robert Raysbecke.*

This Year a Parliament began at YORK, Monday the Second Week in *Lent*. And the *Abbot* of *St. Maries* kept a Fair in *Botham*, within the Liberties of the City in free Burgage; but soon after it was revoked before the King, by the Mayor and Citizens, and a Pain laid thereon.

1335. Henry de Belton, 1.

*William Sherburne.**John Bristo.**Willam Caperon.*

In this 9th Year of *Edward* the III. A Parliament was held at YORK.

1336. Henry de Belton, 2.

*John de Sherburne.**Richard de Sezay.**Richard de Kelfterne.*

1337. Henry de Belton, 3.

*John Dorant.**John Danby**Abel Hessel.*

1338. Nich. de Langton, 14.

*William de Holme.**Ric. de Stayngrene.**John de Soureby.*

1339. Henry de Belton, 4.

*Hugh Miton.**Robert Skelton.**Robert Askeby.*

1340. Nicholas Langton, 15.

*John Redman.**John Hansard.**William Grantham.*

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1341.	Nicholas Langton, 16.	John de Acome. John de Rippon. John Cooke.
1342.	Nicholas Langton, 17.	Robert Walsh. Richard Farrone. William Fox.
1343.	Nicholas Foukes.	William de Sutton. Thomas de Estrington. John de Eshton.
1344.	John de Sherburne, 1.	Simon Kingston. John Tukes. John Capenthorpe.
1345.	John de Sherburne, 2.	William de Akester. Robert Selby. William Hovingham.
1346.	John de Sherburne, 3.	William Gray. William Percy. Thomas Torke.
1347.	Henry Goldbeater.	John Langton. Thomas Myton. Robert Lidiate.
1348.	Henry Scorby, 1.	William Skelton. Thomas Duffield. William Hachington.
1349.	Henry Scorby, 2.	Robert Lindshay Henry Mansould. Tho. Menningthorpe

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1350. Henry Scorby, 3.

*Thomas Sigston.**William Bell.**Robert Lindslay.*

1351. Henry Scorby, 4.

*John de Clervans.**Nicholas Sancton.**William Swetmouth.*

1352. Henry Scorby, 5.

*Hugh Myton.**Roger Osbaldwyke.**Richard Amentas.*

1353. John Langton, 1.

*William Swanland.**Henry Godbarne.**John Frabose.*

1354. John Langton, 2.

*John Alverton.**William Beverly.**Robert Honam.*

1355. John Langton, 3.

*William Burton.**Richard Seaton.**Robert Fairby.*

1356. John Langton, 4.

*William Savage.**Henry Kelfield.**Robert de Skelton.*

1357. John Langton, 5.

*John Scorby.**Richard Watby.**John Rippon.*

1358. John Langton, 6.

*William Farriner.**John de Acafter.**Thomas de Strensfall.*

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1359. John Langton, 7.

Robert Selby.
Robert Craikes.
Roger Scrickill.

1360. John Langton, 8.

Ralph Hornby.
William Frankes.
Robert de Ampleford.

This *Robert de Ampleford* Citizen of *York*, by his Testament made the 20th of *March*, 1390. (and Proved the 15th of *July*, 1391.) Bequeathed his Body to be buried in the Parish-Church of *All-Hallows* in the Pavement, where he lies, together with *Joanet* his Wife, under a blew Marble, still having the Inscription-plate upon it. And in that Church founded a Chantry for one Priest to Celebrate at the Altar of *St. Peter*, for the Soul of *Margaret* his late Wife. (Oa. 28.)

1361. John de Acafter, 1.

John Thornton.
John de Crome.
William Corrington.

I presume that this *John Thornton* late of *YORK*, Draper, lies buried (with *Katherine* his Wife) in the Church of *All-Saints* in the Pavement, *juxta Sepul-turam William Pontefreyt Sacii eorum*. As the Inscription denotes on a blew Stone in the Nave.

This *John de Crome*, Citizen and Merchant of *York*, lies buried in the Church of *St. Trinity* in *Conyngarth*. (Da. 97.)

1362. John de Acafter, 2.

Richard Parrat.
John Knapton.

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<i>A. Dom.</i>	<i>Mayors.</i>	<i>Bayliffs.</i>
1363.	John de Langton, 9.	<i>John de Twyselton.</i> <i>Richard de Thoresby.</i> <i>Robert de Pothowe.</i>
1364.	John de Acafter, 3.	<i>Robert Pothowe.</i> <i>Robert Sayer.</i> <i>Simon Cooke.</i>
1365.	Richard Waldeby.	<i>John Senhouse.</i> <i>Geoge Copmanthorp.</i> <i>Robert Lutton.</i>
1366.	Roger de Hovingham.	<i>Roger Murton, jun.</i> <i>Robert Berry.</i> <i>John Barester.</i>
1367.	William Graye.	<i>John Youle.</i> <i>Thomas Holme.</i> <i>John Weland.</i>

This *William Graye* Mayor of the City of *York*, and *Katharine* his Wife, lie buried in the Church of *All-Saints* North-street, as appears by an Inscription on a white Stone in the Nave. *Da. 43.*

The said *John Youle*, Citizen and Merchant of *York*, made his Will the 14th of *December*, 1391. (and Proved the 8th of *January* following) and gave his Body to be buried in the Church of *St. Leonard's* Hospital, under a Marble Stone there placed in his Life-time. But there is the Inscription of his Name engraven on the Head of a white Stone, in the said Quire of the Church of *St. Trinity* in *Gotheromgate*.

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1368. Robert de Holme.

Roger de Moreton.

John Lasynby.

John Clayton.

This *Roger de Moreton* Citizen and Mercer of *York*, by his Testament dated the 20th of *November*, 1390. (and Proved the 2d of *December*, 1390.) bequeathed his Body to be buried in the Church of *St. Martins* in *Coning-street*. Da. 15.

1369. William Savage.

William de Burton.

William Couper.

Hugo Haxwell.

1370. Roger de Selby.

Henry de Rybstane.

Richard de Waghen.

William Gray.

1371. John de Gisburne, 1.

Robert Harome.

Peter Toulthorp.

Richard Acafter.

Robert Harome Citizen and Merchant of *York*, made his Testament on Friday the 7th of *January*, 1389. (Proved the 6th of *November*, 1392.) whereby he bequeathed his Body to be buried in the Church of *St. Trinity* in *Curia Regis*, against *Margery* his Wife. (Da. 49.)

1372. John de Gisburne, 2.

William Tendew.

William Hovingham.

John Swerd.

1373. Roger de Morton.

John Baorden.

John de Beverley.

John de Poynton.

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Mayors.

Bayliffs.

This *Roger de Morton*, Mayor of the City of *York*, died the 5th of *June*, 1382. and lies buried (together with *Isabel* his Wife, who died the 6th of *March*, 1412.) in the Church of our Saviours in *Marisco*. The Inscription-Plate remaining still on a blew Marble in the Chancel.

John de Beverly, Mercer of *York*, made his Testament on the 3d of *August*, 1394. (17th of *Richard II.* Proved the 7th of *September*, 1394.) whereby he gave his Body to be buried in the Church of *St. Trinity* in *Gotherom-gate*.

1374. Thomas de Hawome.

*William de Selby.**John de Pathorne.**Richard de Tameton.*

1375. Thomas Graa.

*Robert Savage.**John de Braythwayt.**John de Holden.*

1376. Ralph Hornby.

*Simon de Quixlay.**William de Helmesley.**Robert de Duffield.*

This *Robert de Duffield*, Citizen and Merchant of *York*, had his Will proved the 29th of *July*, 1398. and bequeathed his Body to sepulture in the Church of *St. Saviours* in *Marisco*; and hath his Name engraven upon a white Stone near the Steeple: And his Wife *Helene* on another by it.

King

King Richard the Second.

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Mayors.

Bayliffs.

1377. John de Sancton.

*Thomas de Staynlay.
John de Darington.
Thomas de Morton.*

1378. John de Berden.

*Thomas Smith.
Hugh Dimock.
J. Wrawby or Wraywely.*

1379. John de Acafter.

*John de Sheffield.
Giles Lister.
Will. Tickell.*

This *John de Acafter*, Mayor of the City and Merchant, died in 1379. and lies buried (together with *Isolda de Acafter* his Widow) under a large white Stone by the Steeple, in the Church of *All-Hallows* in the Pavement ; for so the Inscription does Attest.

His Arms being



On a Cheveron three
Cups Covered.

John de Sheffeild Citizen of *Tork*, Skinner, (by his Will dated the 14th of October, 1395.) gave his Body to be Buried in the Church of *St. Sampsons*. Da. 88.

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1380. John de Gisburne, 3. } *Robert Ward.*
 Commanded by Writ to Execute } *Robert Talkan.*
 the Mayor's Office, because *Simon* } *Richard Wagen.*
Whixley was unduly Chosen and
 Sworn in his place.

Robert Ward, Citizen of *York*, lies buried under a white Stone, behind the South Door of the Church of *St. Denyes* in *Walmegate*.

1381. John de Gisburne. 4. } *William Agland.*
 } *William Golding.*
 } *William Pomfret.*

John de Gisburne, Citizen and Merchant of *York*, made his Will the 12th of *June*, 1381. (Proved the 22d of *October*, 1390.) whereby he gave his Body to be Buried in the Quire between the high Alter and that of *St. Nicholas*, in the Church of *St. Martyn* in *Mickle Gate*. Da. 16.

William de Pomfret Draper, living in *Thursday Market*, (by his Will dated the 1st of *September*, 1390) bequeathed his Body to be buried in the Church of *St. Helene* in *Staynegate*. Da. 45.

1382. Simon de Whixley, 1. } *Simon Clapham.*
 } *Simon Awne.*
 } *Henry Cooper.*

1383. Simon de Whixley, 2. } *John Whixley.*
 } *William Finch.*
 } *William Birdfall.*

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1384. Simon de Whixley, 3.

Constantine Dam.

Richard Sancton.

Thomas Kelfield.

Thomas Kelfield, of York Litterer, made his Testament the 5th of June, 1408. (Proved the 20th of June 1408.) whereby he gave his Body to be buried in St. Katharine's Chappel in the Parish Church of St. Mary the Elder, Bishophill. Db. 577.

1385. Robert Savage, 1.

William Dereham.

William Tearby.

John Thornton.

1386. William de Selby, 1.

Henry Garome.

William Tearby.

Robert Wreack.

1387. John Howden.

Adam de Banke.

John de Bolton.

John Sefay.

Adam de Banke, Citizen of York, made his Will the 8th of June, 1409. (Proved the 21st of Jan. 1410.) whereby he bequeathed his Body to be buried in the midst between the two Doors of the Church of All-saints in Northstreet. Do. vii. 3.

John de Bolton, sen. Citizen and Merchant of York, made his Will the 15th of May, 1395. (Proved the 15th of May, 1395.) and gave his Body to be buried in the Church of the Friars Minors. Da. 83.

1388. William de Selby, 2.

Henry Wyman.

John Stillington.

William Lindsey.

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1389. William de Selby, 3. }
 First Lord Mayor. }

John Askam.
Robert Louth.
John Lindsley.

King *Richard* the II. in the 12th Year of his Reign gave his Sword from about his side to this *William Selby* to be borne before him, as Lord Mayor.

1390. Thomas Smith, 1.

John Tothe.
Keare Bakyrfaxther.
John Topeclyfe.

In this Year, in the City of *York*, died Eleven Thousand in a short space.

1391. Thomas Smith, 2.

John Doncaster.
William Birkhead.
William Hamby.

1392. Robert Savage, 2.

John Craven.
William Hessay.
John Perith.

This Year, The Court of *Kings-Bench* and *Chancery* were, by the Means of the Arch-Bishop of *T O R K* then Lord Chancellor, removed from *London* to *Tork* for the Benefit of this City, where they continued only from *Midsummer* to *Christmas* following, but they were again removed back.

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Bayliffs.

1393. Robert Savage, 3. unto } John Booth.
whom the King gave the 1st Mac. } Thomas de Hornby.
to be born before the Lord Mayor. } Roger de Roston.

Robert Savage, Citizen and Merchant of York, made his Will the 21st of August, 1391. (Proved the 21st of March, 1392.) and gave his Body to be buried in the Church of All-Saints in North-street before St. Nicholas Altar, where the Body of William Savage formerly lies Interred. Dc. 17.

Thomas Hornby, Citizen and Merchant of York, made his Testament the 5th of May, 1426. (Proved the 8th of March, 1426.) whereby he gave his Body to be buried in the Church of St. Trinity in Gotherom-gate. (Db. 506.)

1394. John de Bräithwäyte: Nicholas Warthill.
Adam Delestoby.
Hugh Charter.

This Year it was agreed by the whole City, That from thenceforth no Lord Mayor should stand above one Year, until the Twelve (being able) should bear the Office, but it did not stand.

1395. William Helmesley. John Righton.
Thomas Sayer.
Robert Tothe.
William Redhild.
1396. Thomas Staveley. Thomas Ruston.
William Awne.

In the 19th of *Richard* the II. Two *Sheriffs* were Appointed instead of the *Bayliffs*, whereby it became a County of it self.

The First *SHERIFFS*.

<i>A. Dom.</i>	Lord Mayors.	Sheriffs.
1397.	Sir William Frost, Kt. 1.	<i>John More.</i> <i>Thomas Howden.</i>
1398.	Thomas Gray.	<i>William Solopp.</i> <i>John Howke.</i>
1399.	Robert Talken.	<i>Robert Howome.</i> <i>William Scawseby.</i>

King *Henry* the Fourth.

1400.	Sir William Frost, Kt. 2.	<i>John Doncaster.</i> <i>John Barnacastle.</i>
1401.	Sir William Frost, Kt. 3.	<i>John Wrauby.</i> <i>Edmond Cottesbroke.</i>

This *Edmund Cottesbroke*, Citizen and Merchant of *York*, made his Will the 28th of *January*, 1404. whereby he gave his Body to be buried in the Parish Church of *St. Martyn* in *Conyngstreet*. Dc. 224.

1402.	Sir William Frost, Kt. 4.	<i>William Bowes.</i> <i>William de Lee.</i>
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1403. Sir William Frost, Kt. 5. *Adam Bridges.*
Thomas Sandon.
1404. Sir William Frost, Kt. 6. *Richard How.*
Henry Preston.
1405. John del Banke, *John Bedell.*
John Wyton.

This Year King *Henry* the IV. came to *York*, and punished, by grievous Fines, many of the Citizens for siding with *Richard Scroope* Arch-Bishop of *YORK*, *Henry Peircey* Earl of *Northumberland*, and *Thomas Mowbray* Earl Marshal, in their Conspiring against him, and for Deposing King *Richard* the Second, who were taken, and here Executed.

1406. Sir William Frost, Kt. 7. *Robert Kirby.*
John Usburne.

John Usburne, Citizen and Litterer of *York*, made his Testament the 17th of *May*, 1428. (Proved penult. of *May* following) giving his Body to be buried in the Quire of *St. Margaret's Church* in *Walme-gate*. Db. 534.

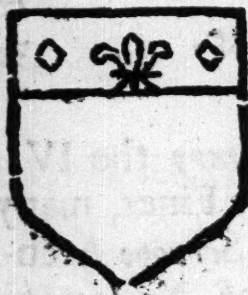
1407. Henry Wyman, 1. *Thomas Hessel.*
William Maston.
1408. Henry Wyman, 2. *John Moreton.*
Robert Gant.
1409. Henry Wyman, 3. *John Northby.*
Robert Delger.

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This *Henry Wyman*, Lord Mayor of the City of York, died the 5th of *August*, 1411. And together with *Agnes* his Wife lies buried in the Quire of *St. Crux* Church in *Fosse-gate*, under a large blew Marble bearing these Arms, viz.



Arg. on a Chief, a Flower-de-Lyze inter two Lozenges of 1st.

1410. John Bolton,

Thomas More.
Robert Langton.

1411. John Crayen.

Peter Buckley.
Thomas Easingwood.

King Henry the Fifth.

1412. Robert Howom, 1.

Richard Russell.
John Petticlark.

1413. Robert Howom, 2.

This Year there nas no
Sheriffs.

Robert Howme, Citizen and Merchant of York, by his Testament (proved the 21st of October, 1432.) bequeathed his Body to be buried in the Chappel of *St. James's*, within the Parish of *St. Trinity* in *Gothergate*. Dc. 366.

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1414. Thomas Sancton,

William Winkburne.
Godfrey Savage.

William Winckburne, Citizen and Merchant of *York*, had his Will proved the 7th of *August*, 1428. whereby he gave his Body to be buried by the Corps of *John Winkburne* his Father, in the Church-yard of *St. Mary the Elder*, *Bishop-hill*. Db. 536.

1415. William Alne,

William Orinshead.
Richard Spencer.

Richard Spencer Citizen of *York*, by his Will (proved the 2d of *July*, 1453.) bequeathed his Body to be buried in our Lady's Quire, within the Parish-Church of *St. Maries* in *Castle-gate*. Db. 272.

1416. John Northby,

Thomas Brackbridge.
Robert Burton.

John Northby Citizen and Merchant of *York*, by his Will (proved the 17th of *September*, 1438.) gave his Body to be buried in the Church of *St. Mary the Elder*, *Bishop-hill*. Db. 123.

1417. William Bowes;

John Vaughen.
Thomas Snowden.

1418. John Morton,

Robert Tarome.
John Lofthouse.

1419. John Bedell,

Robert Middleton.
John Bambrigg.

Robert

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Robert Middleton of *York* Vintener, by his Will (proved the 12th of *June*, 1436.) gave his Body to be buried in the Parish Church of *St. Michael del Belfraye*. By. 242.

1420. *Thomas Delger.*

John Bolton.
Thomas Davy.

1421. *Richard Ruffell.*

John Lilling.
John Gascoigne.

1422. *Henry Preston.*

John Austinmore.
Thomas Aton.

Thomas Aton Citizen of *York*, Mercer, by his Will (proved the 20th of *November*, 1432.) gave his Body to be buried in the Parish-Church of *All-Saints* in the Pavement, by the Corps of *Elizabeth* his late Wife Db. 623.

King *Henry* the Sixth.

1423. *Thomas Easynwald.*

William Craven.
Thomas Kirkham.

Thomas Easynwald, Citizen and Merchant of *York* by his Testament (proved the 16th of *May*, 1428) bequeathed his Body to sepulture in the Parish-Church of *St. Sampson's*. Db. 532.

1424. *Thomas Bracebrigg.*

John Ward.
John Louth.

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In the 2d Year of *Henry the VI.* At the Petition of the *Northern Counties*, it was Enacted by Parliament, That a Coinage should be at *YORK*, during the King's Pleasure; and that all Men do there bring in their Gold to be Coined which is not of full Weight, *Cott. Rec. 568.*

This *Thomas Bracebrigg*, Citizen and Merchant of *York*, by his Will (proved the 10th of *May*, 1437.) bequeathed his Body to be buried in the Parish-Church of *St. Saviours*, *YORK*, before the Image of the Crucifix of our Lord Jesus Christ, and against the Corps of his Wives and Children. *Dc. 488.*

1425. *William Orinshed.*

William Bedal.

William Gateshed,
Goldsmith in N. Street.

1426. *Peter Banksey.*

Richard Lowth.

John Dadington.

1427. *John Austinmore.*

John Brumflete.

William Girlington.

John Austinmore, Citizen and Merchant of *YORK*, by his Will (proved the 17th of *February*, 1434.) gave his Body to be buried in *St. Nicholas Quire*, in his Parish-Church of *St. John Evangelist at Onse-brigg*, before the Corps of *Agnes* his late Wife. *Dc. 408.*

1428. *William Bowes, 2.*

Nicholas Blacburne.

Thomas Carr.

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William Bowes, sen. Citizen, Merchant, and late Lord Mayor of *Tork*, by his Will (proved the 6th of *August*, 1439.) gave his Body to be buried in the Parish Church of *St. Cuthbert* in *Peaseholme*, and so lies there in the South-Ile, together with *Isabel* his Wife under a blew Marble, whereon the Inscription still remains. *Dc.* 581.

1429. *Nicholas Blackburne*.*Thomas Gayer.**John Raughton.*

Nicholas Blackburne, sen. Mayor of the City, together with *Magaret* his Wife, lie buried in the Church of *All-Saints* in *North-street*, Portraitures and Arms are still in the Windows of the *North Side Ile*.



Gu. a Lion Rampant;
Checky Erm. and Sab.
Crowned Ore.

1430. *Richard Russell*, 2.*John Radclyffe.**Thomas Cataryck.*

Richard Russell, Citizen and Merchant of *T O R K*, by his Testament (bearing Date the 10th of *December*, 1435.) bequeathed his Soul to God Almighty, his Creator, to *St. Mary*, *St. Anne*, *St. John Baptist*, *St. Katharine*, and *All Saints*: And his Body to be buried in his Parish-Church of *St. John Bapt.* in *Hungate*, where he had a Chantry ordained for him. *Dc.* 439.

John

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John Radcliff, Citizen and Merchant of *York*, by his Will (proved 11th of *August*, 1444.) gave his Body to be buried in our Ladies Quire, within his Parish Church of *St. Crux* in *Foss-gate*. Db. 91.

1431. *John Bolton*.

Richard Warter.
William Belford.

John Bolton, Citizen and Merchant of *York*, by his Testament (proved the 16th of *May*, 1445.) gave his Body to be buried in the Church of *St. Saviour's*, *YORK*. Db. 108.

1432. *Thomas Snowden*.

William Bowes.
John Easingwold.

Thomas Snowden, Alderman, Citizen and Pewterer of *York*, by his Will (proved the 12th of *June*, 1438.) bequeathed his Body to sepulture in his Parish-Church of *St. Michael de Belfrido*; and gave 14 Marks to a Priest to Celebrate for his Soul, and the Soul of *Agnes* his late Wife, during the space of two Years after his Death. B y. 246.

1433. *William Orinshede*, 2.

Thomas Kirke.
Tho. Rotherham, mort.
Joh. Rokesby, Elected.

William Orinshed Citizen and Alderman of *YORK*, by his Testament (proved the 28th of *September* 1437.) Gave his Body to be Buried in the Parish Church of *St. Trinity*, in *Curia Regis*, before *St. Maries* Altar; and against the Corps of *Joan* his late Wife. (Dc. 503.)

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1434. Thomas Gayer.

*Nicholas Wispinton.
Nicholas Usflete.*

This *Thomas Gayer* of *York* Alderman, by his Will (proved the 9th of September 1445.) bequeathed his Body to be buried in his Parish-Church of *All Saints* in the Pavement, against the Door of *St. Thomas* Quire. (Db. 111.)

1435. Thomas Kirkeham.

*Thomas Ridley.
Robert Ebchefer.*

Thomas Kirkeham Citizen and Alderman of *York*, by his Testament (proved the 7th of May 1437. gave his Body to be buried in the Parish Church of *St. Crux* in *Foss-gate*, beside the Body of *Joane* his late Wife (Dc. 487.)

1436. Richard Wairtyr.

*John Thiske.
Richard Buckden.*

1437. William Bedell.

*Richard Sherwood.
William Burton.*

William Bedell, Alderman, Citizen and Merchant of *York*, made his Will the 10th of September, 1438, whereby he gave his Body to be buried in his Parish-Church of *St. Martyn* in *Conyngstreet*, against the Corps of *Joane* his Wife. Db. 124.

Richard Sherwood, Citizen and Alderman of *YORK* by his Will (dated the 7th of April, 1444.) gave his Body to be buried in the Church of the *Friers predicants* in *York*, against the Sepulchre of his Father and Brother *John*. Db. 81.

1438

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1438. Nicholas Usflete,

Nicholas Blackburne.
Robert Gray, died.
Will. Stockton, Elected

Nicholas Usflete, Alderman, Citizen and Merchant of York, by his Testament (proved the 2d of May, 1443.) bequeathed his Body to be buried in his Parish-Church of All Saints in the Pavement, by the Tomb of Mand his Wife. D b. 59.

Nicholas Blackburne, Alderman, Citizen and Merchant of York, by his Will (proved the 8th of March 1447.) gave his Body to be interred in St. Maries Quire, where he used to sit, within his Parish-Church of All-Saints in North-street, against the Sepulchre of his Parents. D b. 169.

His Portrature, and also his Wives, are still in the North Window of the Church, and his Sheild of Arms by him, viz. Gu. a Lion rampant, Checky, Erm. and Sab, with a Mullet on his Breast, Crown'd Ore.

*Robert Gray, Citizen and Draper of York, by his Will (proved the 23d of June, 1438.) gave his Body to sepulture in his Parish-Church of St. Michael by Ouse-
Bridge, against the Grave of Alice his Wife. D c. 524.*

1439. Thomas Ridley.

William Northby.
John Crosyer.

1440. William Girlington.

William Holbeck.
Thomas Danby.

1441. Thomas Kirke.

John Delkar.
William Abberford.

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Thomas Kirke Mercer, and Mayor of *York*, died the 19th of *April*, 1442. and lies buried, together with *Alice* his Wife, in their Parish-Church of *St. Trinity*, in *Curia Regis*, under a blew Marble in the North-Isle, according to both their Testaments.

1442. *John Thruske*.*Thomas Craythorne.*
John Turpin.

John Thruske was Mayor of the Staple at *Callis*, and Treasurer there the same Year, was a great Merchant, and dwelt in *Hungate*.

John Turpyn Lytster, Alderman of *York*, by his Testament (proved the 7th of *May*, 1446.) gave his Body to be buried in his Parish-Church of *St. John* Evang. at *Onse-bridge* end, within the Door on the North-side,

1443. *William Bowes*.*Henry Market.*
Thomas Burton.

Henry Market of *York*, Merchant, by his Will (proved the 6th of *November*, 1443.) bequeathed his Body to be buried in our Ladies Quire, in his Parish-Church of *All-Saints* in the Pavement. Db. 70.

1444. *Richard Buckden*,*John Caterick.*
John Gordale.

Richard Buckden Citizen, Merchant and Alderman of *York*, by his Testament (proved the 1st of *June*, 1450.) gave his Body to sepulture in the Conventual Church of the *Friers minors*, *York*. Db. 209.

1445

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1445. Thomas Craythorne, *William Clyffe.*
Richard Claybanke.

William Clyffe, Citizen and Merchant of York, by his Will (proved the 6th of September, 1453.) gave his Body to be buried in St. John's Church in Mickle-gate, (Db. 282.)

Richard Claybanke, sen. Citizen of York, made his Testament 12th of July, 1445. (proved the 20th of November, 1447.) whereby he gave his body to be buried in the Poreh of his Parish Church of St. Martyn in Mickle-gate. Db. 162.

1446. William Stockton. *Robert Collinson.*
William Staines.

William Stockton Mayor of the City, lyes buried in the South Quire of the Church of All Saints, North Street: according to the Inscription which still remains on his Gravestone,

1447. John Crosyer. *Thomas Scorteby.*
Richard Thorneton.

1448. John Carpe. *Richard Levaton.*
Thomas Nelson.

1449. Willm. Holbeck, Merchant of the Staple at Calis } *Nicholas Holbeck.*
Robert Pert.

1450. Thomas Burton. *John Morton.*
Thomas Cartise.

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This Year was a Statute made in a Parliament at *Westminster*, That all Letters-Patents Granted to Citizens of *York*, to be exempt from the Office of Mayor, Sheriffe, Chamberlaine, Collector of Dismes, and Quindismes; and Citizens of the said City in Parliament should be void, and of none effect, because it was very inconvenient, and hurtfull to the Welfare of the said City. And moreover, it was thereby Enacted, That if any Citizen then being or at any time afterwards should be, shall purchase, or get any such Letters Patents, that then they should forfeit Forty Pounds, whereof, one half should go to the King, the other to the Mayor and Citizens.

Thomas Burton Alderman and Spycer of *York*, by his Will, (proved the 7th of September 1461) gave his body to be buried in the Parish Church of *St. Michael* at *Onse-brigg* end. (*Db.* 452.)

Thomas Curtas Citizen and Mercer of *York*, by his Will (proved the 14th of March 1460.) bequeathed his Body to Sepulture in his Parish Church of *St. Crux*, against the Sepulchre of *Alice* his Wife: So they both lie buried accordingly under a White Stone in the Nave. (*Db.* 440.)

1451. *Richard Warter.**Thomas Beverley.*
*William Barley.*1452. *Thomas Dauby.**John Strensall.*
*Thomas Danyel.**The*

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Thomas Danby Citizen and Alderman of *York*, by his Will (proved the 20th of *May* 1458.) gave his Body to be buried in the Parish Church of *St. Trinity, Gotheromgate*: Whereupon he dyed the 10th of *May* the same Year; And lies together with *Maud* his Wife, under a black Marble in the South Quire. *Db. 364.*



1453. *John Caterick.*

John Gillyot.

John Boure.

1454. *Thomas Nelson.*

John Glasin.

William Wright.

1455. *Richard Bonnington.*

William Bracebrigg.

William Sherwood.

1456. *John Carre.*

John Ince.

William Cleveland.

John Carre sometimes Lord Mayor of the City of *York*, by his Will, (proved the 20th of *April* 1488) Commended his Soul to God Almighty his Saviour, to *St. Mary, St. John of Beverley, to Mary Magdalen, and All Saints*: And gave his Body to be buried in the Parish Kirk of *St. Sampson's* by the Body of *Johannet* his Wife. And willed to the high Altar of the same Church

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Church, Two Silver Candlesticks to be abiding there at Divine Service. Also wills his Gold Ring with the Diamond to hang about the Neck of the Image of our Lady, which stands above our Ladies Altar in the Minster, where they sing Our Ladies Mass. And another Ring with a Ruby, and one Tortois to hang about Our Lords Neck, that is in the Arms of the same Image of Our Lady. (*Dk.* 329)

And in a Glass Window of St. Sampsons is his Name writ, *Johes Barr*, And had there a Chantry ordained for him.

1457. Robert Collinson.

Thomas Helmesley.
William Sheffield.

This *Robert Collinson* Citizen and Merchant of *York*, by his Testament (proved the 3d of October 1458.) Gave his Body to be buried in his Parish Church of *All Saints: North Street*. And lies buried there in the South Quire, under the same White Stone with *John Wardell* and *William Stockton* Mayor. (*Db.* 378)

1458. William Holbeke.

Thomas Broumflete.
John Marshall.

This *Thomas Broumflete* Citizen and Merchant of *York*, and Sheriff of the same, died the 8th of October 1458. And lies buried under a blue Marble in the Nave of the Church of *All Hallows* in the Pavement, according to his Will. *Db.* 380.

1459. Nicholas Holbecke.

John Copland.
William Bradley.

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1460. Thomas Beverley.

Christopher Booth.
John Marshall.

This *Thomas Beverly*, Citizen and Merchant of *York*, died the 11th of *August*, 1480. And lies buried, together with *Alice* his Wife, under a blue Marble in the Chancel of the Church of *All-Saints* in the Pavement according to his Will. He was Mayor of this City, and Merchant of the Staple of *Calis*, according to the Inscription on the Stone. *Dk.* 184.

Christopher Booth, Citizen and Merchant of *York*, by his Testament (proved the 22d of *March*, 1468) gave his Body to be buried in the Church of *St. Peter* the little. (*Dg.* 131.)

King *Edward* the Fourth.

1461. John Stockton.

John Kent.
Richard Claybruke.

John Stockton, Citizen and Alderman of *York*, by his Will (proved the 18th of *August*, 1463.) gave his Body to be buried under the Marble Stone before *St. Anne's* Altar, in the Parish Church of *St. Andrew*. (*D b.* 589.)

1462. John Thruske, 2.

William Semper.
Christopher Marshall.

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This Year was the great Battle fought at *Towton*, betwixt the two Houses of *York* and *Lancaster*, where King *Edward* got the Victory.

1463. Thomas Scoresby.

William Thorp.
John Scomper.

Upon *Trinity* Sunday this Year, King *Edward* was Crowned at *York*. And this Year was the Minster on Fire.

1464. John Gilliot.

William Crosby.
John Cotes.

1465. Thomas Nelson.

John Brearton.
William Snawsdell.

John Brearton, Citizen of *York*, had his Will proved the 19th of *April*, 1474. whereby he gave his Body to be buried in the Church of *St. Crux* in *Fosse-Gate*. (Dg. 9.)

1466. John Kent.

Richard Yorke.
Thomas Catoure.

John Kent, Citizen and Merchant of *York*, (by his Testament proved the 17th of *June*, 1468.) gave his Body to be buried in the Parish Church of *All-Saints* in the *Pavement*. Dg. 53.

1467. John Marshall.

Thomas Strangways.
John Towthorpe.

John Towthorpe, Sheriff, died in 1481. and lies buried in *Christ's-Church*.

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1468. William Snawfdell.

William Wells.
John Leathley.

This Year 15000 Rebels came before the City ; but in the Darkness of the Night, many Hundreds of them were slain by the Marquess of *Montacute* : so they were forced to raise their Siege ; and their ungracious Captain *Robert Holderne* had his Head stricken off before one of the City Gates.

1469. Richard Yorke, 1.

William Lambe.
John Tonge.

1470. William Holbecke, 2.

Robert Annas.
Thomas Glasfing.

1471. William Beverley.

John Lyghtelampe.
Thomas Allan.

This *John Lyghtelampe*, one of the Sheriffs of the City, died the 11th of *November*, 1485. and lies buried in the Nave of *St. Crux* Church, under a white Stone whereon his Name is carved.

1472. William Holbecke, 3,

Henry Stockton.
Robert Herwood.

1473. Christopher Marshall.

John Ferriby.
William Knowles.

1474. John Gylot, 2.

Henry Williamson.
Thomas Marriot.

This *John Gylot*, Lord Mayor twice, died the 25th of *September*, 1484. and lies Interred under a large

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blew Marble in the Chancel of the Church of *All-Saints* in the Pavement.

1475. * William Lambe.

John Newton.

William Chimney.

This Year *Edward* the Fourth landed at *Ravensturn*, in the East-end of *Holderness*; from thence he came to *York*, and upon his taking of an Oath, was admitted into the City, and being furnished with Money by the Citizens, he then marched for *London*, where he was received, and *Henry* the Sixth seized upon and committed to the Tower.

* This *William Lambe*, Mayor of the City, died the 29th of *June*, 1484. and lies buried under a blew Marble in the Chancel of *St. Crux* Church.

1476. Thomas Wrangwish.

Allen Wilberfosse.

Thomas Scotton.

Guy Fairfax was Recorder of the City about this time,

1477. John Tonge.

William Todd.

Nicholas Pierfon.

This *John Tonge*, Alderman of *York*, by his Will (proved the 29th of *July*, 1491.) gave his Body to be buried in *St. Leonard's* Hospital, before the Image of *St. John* Evang. Dk. 399.

Nicholas Pierfon, Sheriff, died the 26th of *Jan.* 1488. and lies buried in *St. Michael's* Church at *Onse-bridge* End.

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September the 1st, Miles Metcalfe was chosen Recorder in room of Guy Fairfax who resigned.

1478. John Ferriby, 1.

Robert Hancocke.
William Spencer.

1479. William Welles.

Robert Gill.
William Tayte.

This William Welles, Alderman of the City of York, lived in the Parish of St. Michael de Belfride, and dying Intestate, Anno Dom. 1487. Administration of his Goods was granted to Alice his Widow, &c. By. 369.

1480. John Marshall. 2.

John Hagg.
Michael White.

John Marshall of YORK Merchant, and late Alderman of the City, (by his Will proved 1487) bequeathed his Body to be buried in the Nave of the Church of St. Mary in Castlegate, before the Altar of St. Katharine Virgin and Martyr.

1481 Robert Amoyes.

John Harper.
William White.

1482. Richard York, Kt. 2.

Thomas Pearson.
Miles Greenbanke.

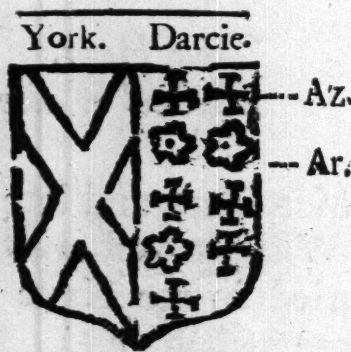
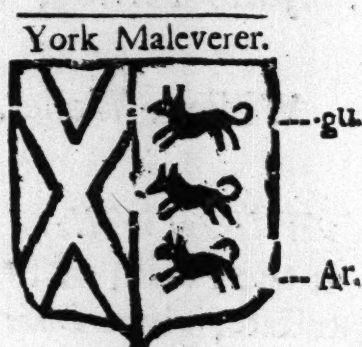
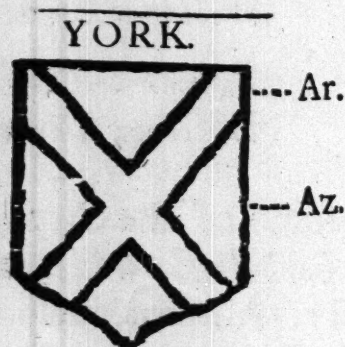
This Sir Richard York Knight, sometimes Mayor of the Staple of Callis, Merchant of YORK, And twice Lord Mayor, died Anno Dom. 1498. And lies buried between

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between the Chancel and the North Quire of the Church of St. John's at Ousebrigg-end. His Arms being in the East end Window thus placed.



By his first Wife *Joan* Daughter of *Maliverer* of *Allerton*, he had Issue Sir *Richard York* Knight and *Thomas*

By his second Wife,
of the Lord *Darcy* of *Menyill* he had Issue *Adam* and
Sir *John York*. Daughter

King

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 { *Richard the Third.*

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1483. John Newton.

Richard Hardson
William Barker

This Year King *Richard* the Third, with his Queen and Son, came to YORK, where they were received with great Honour, and he crowned the second time, by Arch-Bishop *Rotherham* in the Minster: And his Son invested in the Principality of *Wales*; For Joy whereof there were Stage-plays, Tournaments, and other Triumphant Sports; The King Knighting his base Son *Richard of Gloucester*, and many other Gentlemen of these Parts.

1484. Thomas Wrangwith 2.

John Gilliot.
Thomas Finch.

King *Henry* the Seventh.

1485. Nic. Lancaster L. L. D.

John Beverly.
Roger Appleby.

1486 William Chimney.

John Beisby.
John Shaw.

John Vavasor was chose Recorder in stead of *Miles Metcalfe* deceased.

1487.

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1487. Sir William Tod, Kt. *George Kirk.*
Robert Johnson.

This Sir *William Todd* repaired part of the City Wall near Fishergate: As appears by this following Figure and Inscription thereon.



Sir *William Tod* of *TORK*, Knight, made his Will the 11th of *March*, 1502. whereby he gave his Body to be buried in Our Ladies Quire, within the Church of *All Hallows* in the Pavement.

1488. Robert Hancocke.

Thomas Flantby
Thomas Gray

Robert

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Robert Hancock, Grocer of *York*, and Alderman, by his Will (proved the 15th of *February*, 1495.) gave his Body to be buried in his Parish Church of *St. Michael Arch-Angel* at *Onse-bridge* end, in the North-side of the Alley against the Sepulchre of *Thomas Barton* his late Master. (Dr. 474.)

1489. John Harper.

William Barker.

Alexander Dawson.

This Year was *Walmgate* Barr burnt.

John Harper, Merchant and Alderman of *York*, by his Testament, (proved the 15th of *April*, 1496.) gave his Body to be buried in his Parish Church of *All-Saints* on the Pavement.

This Year also *William Fairfax* was chose Recorder in stead of *John Vavasour* who resigned.

1490. John Gilliot, 1.

John Elwood.

John Norman.

1491. John Ferriby, 2.

John Stockdale.

John Hutton.

John Ferriby, Citizen and Merchant of *York*, died in the Office of his Mayoralty, on the 25th of *March*, 1491. and *William White* was chosen in his place. He lies buried, together with *Millicent* his Wife, in the South-side of the Quire of the Church of *All-Saints*, in the Pavement, under a blew Marble before the Image of our Lady *St. Mary*. (Dk. 418.)

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1492.	Thomas Scotton.	<i>Peter Cooke.</i> <i>Edward Forester.</i>
1493.	Nicholas Lancanster, 2.	<i>Thomas Darby.</i> <i>John Custance.</i>
1494.	Michael White, 1.	<i>John Metcalfe.</i> <i>John Petty.</i>
1495.	George Kirke, 1.	<i>William Nelson.</i> <i>Richard Thornton.</i>
1496.	Robert Johnson.	<i>Miles Armyne.</i> <i>Bertram Dawson.</i>

This Year, on *December* the 16th, *Bryan Palmes* was chosen Recorder in stead of *William Fairfax* who resigned.

1497.	Thomas Gray.	<i>Thomas Jameson.</i> <i>John Dodshon.</i>
1498.	John Metcalfe.	<i>John Berkhead.</i> <i>Richard Winder.</i>

This Year the West-end of the *Common-Hall* was Beautified with Wainscot.

1499.	John Elwald.	<i>Alan Staveley.</i> <i>Robert Pettye.</i>
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John Elwald, of the City of *York*, Alderman, by his Will (proved the 16th of *June*, 1505.) bequeathed his Body to be buried in our Ladies Quire, within his Parish-Church of *St. Michael Belfray*. A. 43.

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1500. William Nelson.

George Essex.
Thomas Bankhouse.

1501. John Stockdale.

William Skipton.
Thomas Freeman.

John Stockdale of *TORK*, Alderman and Merchant, by his Will (proved the 14th of *March*, 1506.) gave his Body to sepulture in *St. Michael's Kirk Belfray*, before our Ladies Altar in the Lady Quire. *A. 62.*

1502. Richard Thornton.

John Lincolne.
Thomas Parker.

1503. Sir John Gilliot, 2.

John Ellis.
Thomas Braikes.

This *John Gilliot*, Knight of the *Bath*, Alderman of the City of *York*, by his Will (proved the 4th of *March*, 1509.) bequeathed his Body to be buried in the Chappel new to be built in *St. Saviour's Church*, with the Body of Dame *Maud* his Wife. And left 400*l.* to Purchase Lands, for the founding a Chantry in the same Church, to maintain one Priest to Celebrate for his Soul, and the Souls of *Katharine* and *Maud* his Wives. *Dy. 34.*

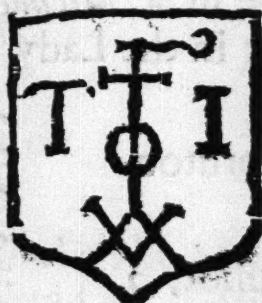
This Year, on the 14th of *July*, The Lady *Margaret*, Eldest Daughter of the King and Queen of *Scots*, accompanied with many Lords and Knights, Ladies, &c. came to this City, where by the Mayor, Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Citizens, they were most Honourably Entertained,

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1504. Thomas Jameson.

*John Hall.**Oliver Middleton, died**Rob. Simpson, Elected.*

This *Thomas Jameson*, Mayor of the City, died on the 20th of *April*, 1527. and lies buried in *Christ-Church*, under a blew Marble in the Nave.



Oliver Middleton, late Sheriff of *York*, died the 14th of *January*, 1504. and lies buried, together with his two Wives *Maud* and *Joan*, under a blew Marble in the Chancel of *St. Michael's Church*, at *Onse-bridge end*.

1505. William White, 2.

*William Wilson.**Thomas Drawsword.*

William White died in his Year of Mayoralty, and *Michael White* was chosen in his place.

1506. Alan Staveley.

*John Beisby.**William Fluby.*

1507. John Berkhead,

*Roger Sawyer.**Richard Tawe.*

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1508. John Petty.

John Thornton.
John Bateman.

This *John Petty*, Glazier, died in his Mayoralty on the 12th of *November*, 1508. and *John Dodgshon* was chosen in his place. There is a Window in the Minster, over the South-Door, which the said *John Petty* Glazed, and wherein he is depicted in an Alderman's Gown: The same Window has since been Renewed by *Edmund Gyles*, Glazier, Anno 1662.

King Henry the Eight.

1509. George Effex.

John Langton.
John Greggs.

1510. John Shawe.

William Garnet.
John White.

This *John Shawe*, Mayor and Merchant of the City of York, and of the Pairsh of St. Crux in Fosse-gate, died the 12th of *February*, 1537. And lies buried, together with *Agnes* his Wife, under a blew Stone in the high Quire; whereon is the City Arms and also this.



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1511. Bertram Dawson.

*William Wright.**William Cary.*

This *Bertram Dawson*, Alderman of the City of *York*, by his Testament (proved the 20th of *November*, 1516.) Gave his Body to be buried in Our Ladies Quire, with- in the Parish Kirk of Christ, in *Curia Regis*. Dn. 40.

1512. George Kirke, 2.

*John Chapman.**Christopher Horner.*

1513. William Wilson.

*Simon Vicars.**Richard North.*

Qu. If not the same *William Wilson* who lies under a white Stone, in the Church of *St. Michael*, at *Onse-bridge* end.

1514. John Thornton.

*Paul Gillonr.**John Norman.*

1515. Thomas Drawsword, 1.

*John Rasine.**John Geldard.*

1516. John Hall.

*John Wetherell.**William Barker.*

1517. John Dodgson, 2.

*Thomas Dawson.**John Gilbanke.*

1518. William Wright, 1.

*Thomas Burton.**Thomas Mason.*

1519. Alan Staveley.

*Robert Whitefeild.**Henry Holme.*

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This Year Sir *Richard Rookeby* was chosen Recorder in stead of *Bryan Palmes*.

1520. Thomas Parker.

Peter Jackson.

Robert Wilde.

1521. Thomas Bankhouse.

Robert Fons.

Roger Gegge.

Thomas Bankhouse, of the Parish of *St. Michael* at *Ouse-brige* end, Draper and Mayor of the City of *York*, died within the Year, and *Simon Vickers* was Chosen in his place.

The said *Thomas* by his Will (proved the 18th of *October*, 1521.) gave his Body to be buried in the said Parish Kirk, before the Image of our Blessed Lady in the North Quire. (Dn. 196.)

1522. Paul Gillour.

John Marshall.

Thomas Bayley.

Paul Gillour, Merchant and Alderman of the City of *York*, died in his Mayoralty ; and *Thomas Burton* was chosen in his place.

This said *Paul* by his Will (proved the 23d of *November*, 1522.) Bequeathed his Body to be buried in *St. Michael's* Church, *Belfrey* ; before the Altar of *St. Nicholas*, next the Door of our Ladies Quire. (Dn. 284.)

1523. Thomas Drawsword, 2.

James Blades.

Richard Hutchinson.

This Year Sir *William Gascoigne* was chose Recorder in stead of Sir *Richard Rokeby* deceased.

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1524. John Norman.

Henry Dawson.
John Rogers.

1525. William Barker.

Hugh Fluly.
Robert Cornot.

1526. Peter Jackson. U

Ralph Pullen.
John Smith.
John Lister.

John Smith was chosen Sheriff but refused to stand, so that he removed to *Skipton* in *Craven*, and there lived till his Death; But nevertheless his Executors were forced to pay the King's Fee-Farm, from the time of his going away untill his Death; And in his place was Elected *John Lister*,

1527. Robert Wylde.

John Hodgson.
John Richardson.

This Year *Richard Page* was chose Recorder in stead of *Sir William Gascoigne*.

1528. Thomas Mayton.

John Shaw.
John Collier.

1529. Robert Whitefeild.

John North.
Richard Simpson.

1530. George Lawson, Esq;

George Gaile.
John Beilby.

1531. Henry Dawson.

William Harrington.
Laurence Mouslome.

This

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This Year was a Statute made in a Parliament held at *Westminster*, That the Fish Garths in the River of *Ouse* and *Humber* should be pulled up; for that it was shewed by Petition of the Lord Mayor, Sheriffs, and Commonalty of this City, and of many others, that they were very inconvenient, and tending to the utter Impoverishment and Destruction of the City, which always before that time was most chiefly advanced by the free passage of Ships, and other Vessels from *Kingston* upon *Hull*, and divers parts of this Realm, hither.

1532. William Barker, 2.

*Robert Elwood.**William Dodshon.*

1533. John Hodgson.

*Robert Hall.**John Plowman.*

John Pulleyn was chosen Recorder in stead of *Richard Page* who resigned.

1534 George Gaile, 1.

*John Shadlock.**Robert Cooke.*

George Gaile, Goldsmith, was Master of the Kings Mint at *York*.

1535. William Wright, 2.

*Robert Hekleton**William Holme.*

1536. William Harrington.

*John Edwyne.**William Swane.*

This Year, Sir *Robert Constable* was Hanged at *Beverly Gates* at *Hull*, And *Aske* was Hanged in Chains on a Tower at *York*.

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1537. Ralph Pullaine.

John Lewis.
Peter Liddell.

July the 9th, *William Tancred* was chosen Recorder in stead of *John Pulleyne* who resigned.

1538. John Shaw, 2.

Peter Robinson.
John Beane.

John Shaw died in his Mayoralitie, and *John North* was Chosen in his stead. (*Vid.* page 69.)

1539. Robert Elwood.

Thomas Thornton.
Richard Tomlinson.

1540. William Dodshon.

Robert Peacock.
Richard Savage.

1541. Robert Hall, 1.

William Watson.
William Harper.

In *August* this Year, The King made a Progreſs to YORK: where he ſtayed Twelve days. The Mayor preſented him with 100*l.* Then he went to *Hull*.

1542. John Shadlock.

Thomas Appleyard.
John Dobson.

1543. Robert Heckleton.

William Beckwith.
William Cowpland.

1544. Peter Robinson.

Richard White.
Michael Binkes.

1545. John Beane, 1.

Ralph Elmyck.
Richard Foxgill.

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1546. William Holmes.

*Robert Broodes.
Peter Eshe.*

This *William Holmes*, Alderman and Mayor of *York*, Vice Admiral between *York* and *Humber*, Steward of *St. Maries* Abbey Lands, Collector for *Newburgh*, born in this City; died the 8th of *September*, 1558. lies buried under a White Stone, in the South Quire of *St. Dionys* Church *Walmgate*.

Peter Eshe, Sheriff of the City, died 11th *July*, 1551. And lies buried under a White Stone, in the South Quire of *St. Dionys-Church*.

King *Edward* the Sixth.

1547. William Watfon.

*Thomas Standeven.
James Simpson.*

1548. Robert Peacock, 1.

*William Batcheler.
Thomas Goodyere.*

1549. George Gayle, 2.

*James Harrington.
George Hutchinson.*

George Gayle Esq, Treasurer of the Kings Mint, Alderman and twice Lord Mayor of *York*, by his Will proved 27th *August* 1556. Bequeathed his Body to be buried in the Clofet nigh his stall in the Parish Church of *St. Trinity*; but notwithstanding that, lies buried with Dame *Mary Gale* his Wife, in the Cross Body of *York* Minster. To which Cathedral Church, he bequeathed

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queathed one Font Cloath of Purple, Red and Blew,
Velvet, whereon the History of the Resurrection was
Embroidered in Gold, for the use of the High Altar.
(Dp. 62.)

1550. John Lewis

Percival Crafworth.
Edmond Greenbury

This Year was a great Plague at YORK.

1551. Thomas Appleyard, 1.

Richard Goldthorpe.
John Shillitoe.

This Year 1651. was Trinity Steeple in Micklegate,
and St. John's Steeple at Ouse-bridge end, blown down
with a great Wind.

1552. Richard White.

Thomas Lawson.
Thomas Wilson.

Richard White, of the Parish of Belfreys, Draper,
Lord Mayor, gave by his Will Six-pence per Week,
for ever, to the Prisoners in York Castle.

Queen MARY.

1553. William Cowpland.

Ralph Hall
William Hargill.

This Year, in a Parliament at *Westminster*, it was
Enacted, That whereas in a Parliament at *Westminster*,
in the First of *Edward VI.* a Statute was made for
uniting

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uniting of Churches within the City and Suburbs of *York*; by vertue whereof, the Mayor and Recorder, together with his Ordinary, or his Deputy, Six Justices of the Peace within the same City, had suppressed and defaced the Parish-Church of *St. Ellens* in *Stonegate*, which did much deform the said City, and was a great Decay to fundry Streets meeting and joyning at the said Church; it standing in a principal place of the City, that therefore it should be lawful for the Parishoners to Repair, and Re-edifie the said Church and Chuch-yard.

1554. John North.

Robert Cripling
William Grisdale.

1555. William Beckwith, 1.

Richard Brearey.
Robert Hogge.

1556. Richard Goldthorpe.

Adam Binkes.
William Drew,

This *Richard Goldthorpe*, Lord Mayor of the City, died the 10th of *March*, 1557. and lies buried in the Nave of the *Minster*, under a little blew Stone.

William Dreme, Sheriff of the City, died the 7th of *October*, 1585. and lies Buried under a white Stone in *St. Olives* Church in *Mary-gate*.

1557. Robert Hall, 2.

Christopher Hall,
Christopher Liddal.

This Year the King of *Muscovie* came to *York*.

1558. Ralph Hall.

John Hall.
William Brodgdén.

Queen

Queen *ELIZABETH.**A. Dom.*

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1559. Thomas Standeven.

Hugh Greaves.
Thomas Harper.

1560. James Harrington.

Richard Calome.
Edward Wilcocke

1561. Percival Crawford.

Martin Straker.
John Robinson.

Percival Crawford, Mayor of the City, died the 12th of May, 1570. and lies buried under a white Stone in the North Quire of the Church of St. Michael de Belfrey.

1562. Thomas Lawfon.

William Harrison.
Tho. Harrison, died.
Leon. Temple, Elected

1563. Thomas Appleyard, 2.

Robert Maskew
John Weddel,

1564. Jacob Simpson.

Thomas Middleton.
William Thompson.

This Year, on *Twelfth-day*, *Onse-bridge* was broken down, by reason of a great Snow and sudden Thaw; The Water did rise to a great height, insomuch that the Flood and Ice being so vehement, that two Bows within one Arch, and Twelve Houses standing upon the Bridge were overthrown, and Twelve Persons drowned.

John

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1565. John Beane, 2.

Edmund Richardson.
John Smith.

John Beane, Lord Mayor, by his Will gave (besides other Charitable Gifts) One Hundred Marks to buy Three Tuneable Bells, to hang at his Parish-Church of *St. Martins* in *Micklegate*.

1566. William Watson.

Gregory Peacocke.
William Allen.

This Year was *Onse-bridge* Built up again; towards which good Work, the Lady *Jane Hall* Widow, and Relict of *Robert Hall*, late Alderman deceased; gave by her Will One Hundred Pounds.

1567. Robert Peacocke.

Christopher Herbert.
John Dinely.

1568. William Cowpland.

William Robinson.
Andrew True.

1569. William Beckwith.

Peter Hudles.
John Wilkinson.

This Year was the great Rebellion in the North, by the Earls of *Northumberland* and *Westmoreland*.

1570. Richard Calom.

Henry May.
Thomas Middleton.

This Year the Rebels were Executed at *York*.

Richard Calom, Draper, Alderman and Mayor of the City, died the 20th of *February*, 1580. and lies buried

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buried under a white Marble, in the high Quire of
St. Michael's Church, Belfrey, according to his Will.
 (*Dy. 101.*)

1571. Gregory Peacocke.

*Jacob Birkby.**Edward Turner.*

1572. William Allen.

*Ralph Micklethwaite.**Robert Askwith.*

This Year on the 22d of *August*, the Earl of *Northumberland* was Beheaded on a Scaffold in the Pavement, and his Head was set on a very high Pole on the top of *Micklegate Barr*; but his Body was Buried in *Crux Church*, by two of his Servants, and three Women.

The same Year was *Pater Noster Play* Acted in *York* and on *Corpus Christi Day*, *William Beckwith*, and *Christopher Herbert Aldermen*, were set in Ward, and for a time Disfranchised.

1573. Christopher Herbert.

*John Stevenson.**Thomas Temple.*

Christopher Herbert, Lord Mayor, died, and lies Interred in the Quire of *St. Crux Church* in *Fosse-gate*.

August the 26th, *William Bimund* was chosen Recorder in stead of *William Tancred* deceased.

1574. Robert Maskewe.

*Robert Brook.**Thomas Jackson.*

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This Year was a great Earthquake in York; and also the Earl of Northumberland's Head stolen in the Night from Micklegate Barr, by Persons unknown.

The same Year was the Prison anenst the Kidcoate on Ouse-bridge Built.

1575. Thomas Harrison, 1.

*Thomas Appleyard.
Christopher Maltby.*

1576. Edmund Richardson.

*Edmund Sands.
Walter Mudd.*

Edmund Richardson, Alderman and Mayor of the City, by his Will (proved the 15th of October, 1577.) bequeathed his Body to be buried in the Parish-Church of *St. Sampsons* near to his Stall. D s. 66.

He died in his Mayoralty, and *Ralph Hall* Merchant was Chosen in his place.

1577. John Dynely.

*Ralph Richardson.
George Fawcett.*

April the 3d. *Robert Askwith*, Draper, was chosen Alderman in room of *Gregory Peacock* who resign'd.

January the 3d. *William Robinson*, Merchant, was chosen Alderman instead of *Ralph Hall* deceased.

1578. Hugh Greaves.

*Laurence Robinson.
Edward Vavasor.*

1579. Robert Crippling.

*Francis Mapples.
Edward Fawcett.*

L

Robert

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Robert Crippling, Lord Mayor, was at the end of his Year Committed to *York Castle*, by the Earl of *Huntington* then Lord President.

March the 9th. *Robert Brooke*, Merchant, was chosen Alderman instead of *John Dynely* deceased.

1580. *Robert Askwith.*

Robert Mamde.
Leonard Belt.

Leonard Belt, of the City of *York*, Gent. by his Will (proved the 16th of *December*, 1590.) gave his Body to be buried in *St. Crux Church*. *Dt.* 503.

This Year *Robert Crippling*, Alderman, was Disfranchised for ever.

March the 28th. *Christopher Maltby* was chosen Alderman in the room of *Robert Crippling* removed.

April the 23d. *Thomas Appleyard*, Merchant, was chosen Alderman instead of *Thomas Appleyard* Alderman, deceased.

January the 25th. *Andrew True* was chosen Alderman instead of *John Beane* deceased.

1581. *William Robinson*, r.

Christopher Beckwith.
Richard Morton.

January the 8th. *Sir William Hildyard* was chosen Recorder in stead of *William Bemard* deceased.

March the 1st. *Henry May* was chosen Alderman instead of *Richard Calom* deceased.

July the 5th. *Ralph Richardson* was chosen Alderman instead of *William Allen* who resigned.

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1582.	Robert Brooke, 1.	<i>Christopher Concett.</i> <i>John Standeven.</i>
1583.	Christopher Maltby.	<i>Percival Brooke.</i> <i>Thomas Moseley.</i>
1584.	Thomas Appleyard.	<i>Francis Baine.</i> <i>Robert Walter.</i>
1585.	Andrew True.	<i>Rowland Fawcett.</i> <i>William Gibson.</i>

This Year there was an Union of many Churches in YORK.

March the 13th. *James Birkby*, Attorney, was chosen Alderman instead of *Christopher Maltby* deceased.

1586.	Henry Maye.	<i>Robert Peacocke.</i> <i>Henry Hall.</i>
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Henry Maye, Lord Mayor of this City, died the 1st of *July*, 1596. and lies buried under a white Stone in the Nave of the Church of *St. Martins* in *Coning-street*.

August the 2d. *Thomas Jackson*, Attorney, was chosen Alderman instead of *William Beckwith* deceased.

1587.	Raife Richardson.	<i>Leonard Beckwith.</i> <i>John Weddel.</i>
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John Weddel, of the City of *York*, Gent. by his Will (proved the 8th of *January*, 1598.) gave his Body to be buried in the Quire of the Church of *St. Trinity* in *Curia Regis*. Du. 469.

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1588. James Birkeby.

*William Peacocke;
James Mudd.*

This *James Birkeby* was sometime one of the Attorneys before the Council of the North, and Clerk to the Sheriffs.

December the 23d. *Laurence Robinson*, Merchant, was chosen Alderman instead of *Hugh Greaves* deceased.

1589. *Tho. Jackson*, one of the Attorneys before the Council. *Marmaduke Sotheby.*
William Allan.

Thomas Mosely, Merchant, was chosen Alderman instead of *Laurence Robinson* deceased.

1590. Thomas Mosely, 1.

*William Calom.
John Yewdale.*

July the 24th. *Robert Walter*, Hatter, was chosen Alderman instead of *Christopher Herbert* deceased.

1591. Robert Walter, 1.

*Thomas Herbert.
Christopher Turner.*

1592. Thomas Harrison, 2.

*Robert Dawson.
Thomas Askwith.*

Thomas Askwith, one of the Sheriffs of the City, was born at *Pott-Grange*, died the 29th of August, 1609. of the Age of 71 Years, and lies buried in the Church of *All-Saints*, Northstreet.

His

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His Arms being Three Asses.



---Sable.

---Arg.

---Gu:

1593. Robert Askwith. 2.

William Wood.
John Harrison.

Robert Askwith Alderman, and twice Lord Mayor of this City, born at *Pot-grange*, died 18th of *August*, 1597. And lies buried in *Crux* Church under a blew Marble in the Chancel. He gave at his Death to the City. 20 lib. (Du. 26.)

1594 William Robinson. 2.

Robert Myres.
William Greenbury.

William Robinson of *Newby* twice Lord Mayor, and twice Representative in Parliament for this City, died in the year 1616. aged 94, and lies buried in *Crux* Church, he gave to the City at his Death eighty pounds, and a Silver Bowl double guilt, and to the Merchants Company forty Pounds.



1595.

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1595. Robert Brooke, 2.

George Watsone.
George Elwyke.

Robert Brooke, Citizen and Alderman of *York*, and twice Lord Mayor, died 1599. at his Age of 68 years, and lies buried in the Chancel of the Church of *All-Saints* in the Pavement.

January 19th, Christopher Beckwith Merchant was chosen Alderman in stead of Robert Maskem who resigned.

1596. Jacob Birkby, 2.

George Watkinson.
George Hall.

July 8th, *Edward Fancet* Notory was chosen Alderman in the room of *Henry May* Deceased.

1597. Christopher Beckwith.

George Rosse.
Parcival Levet.

Christopher Beckwith, Esq; sometime Alderman and Lord Mayor of the City, died 22d *Junii* 1599. And lies buried in the Middle Quire of St. *John's* Church at *Ouse-brigg-end* under a blew stone with these Arms.



A Cheveron inter three
hinds heads Couped.

September 16th, Christopher Concett Apothecary was
chosen Alderman in stead of Robert Askwith Deceased.

1598

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1598. Edward Fawcett.

Laurance Wade.

William Breary.

March 17th, *Henry Hall* Merchant was chosen Alderman in stead of *Ralph Richardson* deceased.

1599. Christopher Concet, 1. *Robert Askwith.*
Thomas Wilson.

July 12th, *Robert Peacock* Merchant was chosen Alderman in stead of *Robert Brook* Deceased.

July 12th, *Thomas Herbert* Merchant chosen Alderman in stead of *Christopher Beckwith* deceased.

1600. Henry Hall, 1. *Laurence Edwards.*
John Busfield.

September 21st, *William Greenbury* Draper was chosen Alderman in stead of *Thomas Appleyard* deceased.

1601. Robert Peacocke. *Robert Harrison.*
Henry Thompson.

Henry Thompson of the City of *York* Merchant, made his Will 3d January 1614, whereby he gave his body to be buried in the Quire of the Church of *St. Michael* at *Onse-brigg-end*.

This year in *October* was a great Earthquake in most parts of *York*.

1602. Thomas Moseley, 2. *John Robinson.*
George Bucke.

April

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April 22d, Robert Askwith Draper was chosen Alderman in the Room of Edward Fancet deceased.

Thomas Moseley Alderman of the City and twice Lord Mayor, died 1624: Of his Age 85. And lies buried in the Church of St. John at Ouse-brigg-end in the Chancel, with these Arms.



Sab; a Fels O, inter three Trefoils slipped Ermins.

George Buck of the City of York Gentleman by his Will proved 15th January 1611. bequeathed his Body to be buried in the Church of St. Mary, in Castle-gate. (Dn. 745.)

King JAMES the First.

1603. Sir Robert Walter, 2. *Michael Hartforth.*
Richard Binks.

Sir Robert Walter twice Lord Mayor, was 20th April 1603 Knighted by King James at Grimston near Tadcaster, being an house of Sir Edmund Stanhopes where the King lodged that Night. He died 20th May 1612 and

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and lies buried in *Crux Church* under a goodly Monument Erected for him, his Arms being.



A on a Chev. Engrailed.
inter 3 Chels Rooks sab.
as many Crestants O.

He bequeathed to the Mayor and Commonalty of the City 120 *lib.* to pay yearly 10 *lib.* towards the Maintenance of the Parson of *Crux Church* and his Successors; And gave to the Lord Mayor and City one Golden Chain weight 20 Ounces. Three Goblets parcel Gilt: And willed that an Hospital should be erected out of his Houses in *Noute-gate YORK*, for the perpetual Maintenance of 10 persons, appointing 3 *lib.* per *Annum* for the Reader's Stipend. And 2 *lib.* per *Annum* to every of the rest.

The same Year on the 27th day of *March*, was King *James* in the Pavement Proclaimed King of *England*, *Scotland*, *France*, and *Ireland*, &c. the Lord Mayor, Lord *Burley* President of these *North Parts*, the Council, Aldermen, and Sheriffs being present.

April the 16th being *Palme Sunday*, the King being in his Journey from *Scotland* towards *London*, came to *York*, and was very worthily entertained by the Citizens, insomuch, that he said, *he would be a Burgefs amongst them.* And that he desired to have the River amended, and made more Navigable. And on the 18th

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he Dined at the Lord Mayors; And after Dinner, went from thence to *Grimston* beyond *Todcaster*, whither by his appointment, the Lord Mayor went the next Day.

On 11th *June* being *Whit-sun-eve*; The Queen likewise, with Prince *Henry* and Lady *Elizabeth* being in their Journey to the King at *London*, came to *YORK*, and were all very Nobly welcomed by the Lord Mayor and Citizens.

1604. Thomas Herbert.

William Sunley.
Leonard Besson.

This Year was the great Plague in *YORK*, whereof Died 3512 Persons.

Thomas Herbert Esquire Lord Mayor died 14th of *April* 1614: And lies buried in the Quire of *Cruce Church*; where he hath a Monument or Wooden Table.

January 15th *Robert Harrison* Merchant was chosen Alderman in stead of *Thomas Harrison* deceas'd, and *Robert Miers* in stead of *Andrew True* deceas'd.

1605. William Greenbury 1.

Elias Micklethwait.
George Aislaby.

1606. Robert Askwith 1.

John Wadsworth.
William Maskew.

This Year diverse Citizens were forced, by Command of the Lord Mayor, to take up their Shop Stalls, and to have their Shop Windows to fall upon turn'd Stoops.

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1607. Robert Harrison.

William Robinson.
Thomas Marshall.

There was so great a Frost this Year, as that there were Matches of Sporting, and Horse Races upon the River Ouse.

In the beginning of *February* this year, grew a great variance about the precedency of Chamberlains, whether an Alderman's Son, or a Merchant should have priority; but after much debate, the Alderman's Son was preferred before the Merchant's: And then was agreed, by consent of the whole House, that it should ever so remain.

1608. Robert Miers

Christ. Dickinson.
John Standeven.

This Year, about the 16th of *December*, began a great Frost, which continued so extreemly, that on *St. Stephens Day*, People went over and along the River Ouse, in greater numbers than in any Street of the City; and on New Years Day, they began to Play at Foot-Ball on the Ice as boldly as on the Land. And several Gentlemen, amongst whom was *William Greenbury* Alderman, who caused Pricks to be set up on the Ice, and Shot at the same, great numbers of Men standing at either Mark to behold them. And at the same time, there was also a Horse-Race upon the Ice, from the Tower of *St. Mary Gate* end next the River along, through, and under the great Bow, or Arch of the Bridge, to the Crane near *Skeldergate* Posterne.

This Year came the Duke of *Wittenburgh* to YORK, and dined at the Lord Mayors.

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September

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September 12th *Richard Hutton* was chosen Recorder in stead of *Sir William Hildyard* Deceased.

1609. Christopher Concet 2. *Edward Croft.*
James Godson.

1610. Henry Hall 2. *William Morton.*
George Watson.

March 21st, *William Breary* Merchant was chosen Alderman in stead of *James Birkby* deceased.

1611. William Breary 1. *Michael Scarr.*
Edward Calvert.

May 8th *John Harrison* Merchant was chosen Alderman in stead of *Thomas Jackson* deceased.

December 5th, *Thomas Marshall* Mercer, instead of *Robert Peacock* resigned.

1612. John Harrison. *William Watter.*
Thomas Agar.

July 20th, *Leonard Besson* Sadler, was chosen Alderman, instead of *Sir Robert Watter* deceased.

1613. Thomas Marshall. *Matthew Topham.*
Thomas Key.

1614. Leonard Besson 1. *Robert Belt.*
Francis Waid.

May 25th, *Elias Micklethwaite* Merchant, chosen Alderman, instead of *Thomas Herbert* deceased.

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1615. Elias Micklethwaite 1. George Fawcett.
Laurence Rawdon.

Laurence Rawdon Alderman of the City, died the 5th of July, 1626. Aged 85 Years; and lies buried in St. Crux Church under a blew Marble in the Chancel; Bearing an Inscription, and these Arms.



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December 4th Thomas Agar Tanner was chosen Alderman in stead of Christopher Concet Deceased.

1616. William Greenbury 2. Francis Wharton.
Thomas Lawne.

September 16th William Robinson Merchant was chosen Alderman in stead of William Robinson his Father deceas'd.

September 16th William Watter Saddler, chose in stead of Robert Harrison deceased.

1617. Sir Robert Askwith 2. John Hutchinson.
Robert Weddall.

This Year King James, being in his Progress to Scotland, came to York, and Knighted the Lord Mayor, and the Recorder Sir Richard Hutton, Serjeant at Law.

Robert

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Robert Weddel, of the City of *York*, Gent. by his Will (proved the 19th of *April*, 1620.) gave his Body to be buried in *Crux Church*; and Bequeathed to the Company of Butchers of this City, a Silver Bowl to be used at their Feasts; Value, Three Pound six Shillings and Eight-pence. (Dw. 6.)

June the 11th. *Bernard Ellis* was chosen Recorder instead of *Sir Richard Hutton* who resigned.

1618. Thomas Agar.

Christopher Croft.
Peter Middleton.

This Year *Thomas Agar Tanner*, Lord Mayor, had a Stab with a Knife in the left Breast, three Inches deep, given by *Charles Colson* a Taylor being in Drink, but it proved not Mortal: For which wicked Fact he was adjudged seven Years Imprisonment, fined an hundred Pounds, and at every Quarter-Sessions he was carried through the City on Horseback, with his Face towards the Horse-Tail, and a Paper on his Fore-head shewing his Crime, and every of the said Days stood certain Hours in the Pillory.

1619. William Robinson,

Abra. Hemmingway.
Christopher Waid.

William Robinson of *Newby*, Esq; one of the Aldermen of the City of *York*, by his Testament (proved the 20th of *October*, 1626.) bequeathed his Body to sepulture in *Crux Church* nigh his Father, Mother, and Children.

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Christopher Wayde of the City of York, Gent. made his Will the 3d of September, 1623. whereby he appointed his Body to be buried in St. Trinity Church in Micklegate. (Dw. 536.)

1620. William Watter. Edmund Cooper.
Robert Hemsworth.

April the 18th. *Christopher Dickenson*, Merchant, was chosen Alderman instead of *Henry Hall* deceased.

1621. Christopher Dickenson. Thomas Hoyle.
John Vaux.

1622. William Brearey 2. Christopher Topham.
Richard Hartford.

January the 15th. *Matthew Topham*, Merchant, was chosen Alderman instead of *Thomas Marshall* deceased.

1623. Robert Miers, 2. Leonard Weddell.
William Allanson.

March the 17th. *Thomas Lawne*, Roper, was chosen Alderman instead of *William Watter* deceased.

Septemb. the 12th. *Robert Belt*, Merchant, was chose Alderman instead of *Sir Robert Askwith* deceased.

1624. Matthew Topham. James Hutchinson.
Leonard Jackson.

July the 19th. *Laurence Rawden*, Grocer, was chose Alderman instead of *Thomas Moseley* deceased.

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1625. Thomas Lawne, 2.

*William Scott.**William Todd.*

October the 31st. *Christopher Croft*, Mercer, was chose Alderman instead of *Robert Miers* deceased.

This Year the great Feast, called *Tanton-Feast*, kept by a Master and Eight Keepers (commonly called *Tanton Piggs*) in *St. Anthonies Hall* in *Peasholme*, every Three Years, was left off and the said Fellowship dissolved.

November the 18th, *William Belt* was chosen Recorder instead of *Bernard Ellis* who resigned.

This Year also the Election of Two Bridge-Masters, being ancient Assistants to the Chamberlains, discontinued; and a Citizen in Fee appointed to Collect the City Rents.

October the 31st. *Edmund Cooper*, Merchant, was chosen Alderman instead of *John Harrison* deceased.

1626. Leonard Besson.

*Thomas Hodgson.**William Wharton.*

Leonard Besson of *St. Michael's Parish*, at *Onse-bridge End*, Lord Mayor, by his Will gave 30 Pounds to be bestowed in Plate, for the use of the Lord Mayor from time to time; and also 20 Pounds to the Poor.

July the 21st. *Robert Hemsworth*, Draper, was chose Alderman instead of *Laurence Rawden* deceased.

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October the 20th. *Thomas Hoyle*, Merchant, was chose Alderman in the room of *William Robinson* deceased.

1627. *Elias Micklethwaite*, 2. *Henry Thompson.*
Thomas Atkinson.

Thomas Atkinson Tanner, Sheriff of the City, died the 13th of *April*, 1642. aged 72 Years; and lies buried in the South Quire of the Church of *All-Saints*, Northstreet.

This Year Sir *William Robinson* of *Newby*, Knight, Son of Alderm. *William Robinson* lately deceased, took his Freedom and offered his Service in Parliament.

1628. *Robert Belt.* *Thomas Dawson.*
Roger Jaques.

1629. *Christopher Croft.* *Thomas Peighen.*
John Miers.

1630. *Edmund Cooper*, 1. *John Pepper.*
John Bradley.

1631. *Robert Hemsworth.* *James Brooke.*
Thomas Hewley.

June the 8th. *Leonard Weddel*, Merchant, was chose Alderman instead of *Thomas Agar* deceased.

This Year the City renewed their Charter, and procured to be added to the County of the City, *St. Mary-Gate*, *Clifton*, *Rocliffe*, *Heworth*, *Osberwick*, *Tang-Hall*, *Heslington*, the two *Foulfords*, and *St. Laurence Church-yard* without *Walmegate Barr*, with all the Territories

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to them belonging; as also, A Fair to be kept Yearly on the *Thursday* and *Friday* next before *Candlemas-day*: But afterwards the said Charter was revoked.

1632. Thomas Hoyle, 1.

Phillip Herbert.

John Geldard.

April the 20th. *William Allanson*, Draper, was chose Alderman instead of *Leonard Weddel* deceased.

1633. Sir William Allenson, 1.

Thomas Herbert.

William Wilson.

February the 22d. *James Hutchinson*, Merchant, was chosen Alderman, instead of *Elias Micklethwaite* deceased.

This Year, on *Friday* the 24th of *May*, the King being on his Journey to *Scotland*, came to *York* attended with a very great Number of Nobility and Gentry; And on *Sunday* He dined at the Lord Mayors, and Knighted him, and Sir *William Belt* Recorder. After Dinner, His Majesty went to the Minster, and so up to the Top of the Lanterne, to view the City and Country: And lay at the Mannor four Nights.

1634. James Hutchinson.

Stephen Watson.

George Pullen.

This Year *James Hutchinson*, of *All-Hallows* Parish in the *Pavement*, Merchant, and Lord Mayor, by his Will gave 20 l. *per annum* for ever to the Master of the Free-School which he built at *Fremington*, in the Pa-

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rish of *Grinton* where he was born; as also a House for the said Master to live in. And at his Death, he likewise gave 10*l.* to the Poor of this City, to be distributed at the Discretion of the Lord Mayor and Aldermen.

November the 28th. *Thomas Hodgson*, Mercer, was chosen Alderman instead of *William Greenbury* who resigned.

1635. *Thomas Hodgson.* *John Mason.*
Thomas Masterman.

February the 6th. *Henry Thompson*, Merchant, was chosen Alderman instead of *Christopher Dickenson* deceased.

1636. *Henry Thompson, 1.* *Robert Horner.*
John Becke.

February the 19th. *John Vaux*, Prothonotary, was chosen Alderman instead of *Matthew Topham* deceased.

1637. *John Vaux.* *William Ramsden.*
William Fairweather.

In *August* this Year, by the King's special Letters, The Lord Mayor of *York* was commanded to abate the Ensigns of his Authority, at his Entrance into the Minster, so as to have his Sword and Mace carried a slope before him, and not upon the Officers Shoulders; which was accordingly done.

September the 6th. Sir *William Robinson* of *Newby*, Knight, was chosen Alderman instead of *William*

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Breary deceased, but was exempted paying a Fine, and *William Scott* Mercer was chosen in his room, *October* the 20th.

1638. William Scott.

Christopher Breary.
Marmaduke Croft.

April the 14th. *Thomas Widdrington*, Esq; was chose Recorder instead of *Sir William Belt* who resigned.

May the 23d. *Roger Jaques* Mercer was chosen Alderman instead of *Thomas Layne* who resigned.

1639. Sir Roger Jaques.

Leonard Thompson.
Simon Coulton.

This Year, on the last of *March*, the King came to *Tork*, in a Post Coach, and was met by the Sheriffs on the midst of *Tadcaster* Bridge; And at *Mickle-gate* Barr by the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and other Citizens, according to Custome. The next Day, his Majesty Dined at the Lord Mayors, and Knighted him and *Sir Thomas Widdrington* the Recorder. And on *Maunday Thursday*, Doctor *Curle* Bishop of *Winchester*, the King's Almoner kept the *Maunday* in the *Minster*, giving as the Kings Gift to nine and thirty Poor Men, each of them four yards of Holland, three yards of Broad-Cloath, a pair of Shoes, a Wooden Platter, with a Jowle of Ling, and another of Salmon, six Red Her-rings, two Loaves of Bread, a Scale of Wine, twenty Shillings in Money, nine and thirty single Pence, and Washed all their Feet.

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On *Munday* Morning, being the 29th of *April*, his Majesty took Coach at the *Mannor* for *Scotland*, where the People were up in Arms against him; and pitched his Tents near *Barwick*. But at last, the *Scots* submitted themselves to his Majesty, with many fair Promises to be quiet, which they soon broke upon Disbanding his Army.

Upon *Sunday* being the 5th of *November*, The Lord Mayor and Aldermen received the Blessed Sacrament in the Minster, having neither Sword nor Mace then laid before them.

1640. Sir Robert Belt, Kt. 2.

Thomas Dickinson.
Paul Beale.

This Year on the 22^d. of *August*, the King came to *York*, in his Expedition against the *Scots*; and on the 24th Dined at the Lord Mayors, and Knighted him. And on the 29th day Rode to *Northalerton*, where notice was given him, that the *Scots* had taken *Newcastle*, and that they intended to be at *York* within a Week. His Majesty returned for *York* again, and sent to *Hull* for Ammunition, and within three Days came thirty great Brass Pieces of Ordnance, with all things fitting for War, which were drawn into *Clifton Inggs*, and *Fields*, and *Bishop Fields*; in all which places Tents were pitched, Ordnance placed, and many Bulwarks raised; and a Bridge of Boats was made over the River *Omse*.

The Kings Army, consisting of near 12000 Foot, and 3000 Horse, kept Leaguer almost to *All-hallontide*; and

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and the cold Weather approaching, the Soldiers were disposed into Quarters in the Country.

September the 26th a Danish Embassador came to York and presented to His Majesty four goodly Horses, having upon them very fine Coverings of Silk Richly Imbroidered.

September the 24th. the King, and his great Assembly of the Peers of the Realm, began to sit in the Dean's Hall, and so continued till the 18th of October following.

1641. Sir Christ. Croft, Kt. Thomas Caley.
John Calvert.

This Year the Council Court at this City, was Voted down (among others, by the long Parliament at at Westminster,) Sir William Allanson Kt. and Thomas Hoyle Alderman, served for York.

November the 20th the King, accompanied by the Prince of Wales (afterwards King Charles the second) as also by the Palsgrave of the Rhyne, the Duke of Lennox, the Marquess Hambleton, and several other Nobles, came to York, and Knighted the Lord Mayor, and Sir Robert Barnick Deputy Recorder. The next Day, the Palsgrave, and the Marquess Hambleton, took Post for London, and the Day after, His Majesty, accompanied with the Duke of Lennox, departed also.

1642. Sir Edmund Cooper. 2. Samuel Breary,
Jonas Spacie,

March the 18th, The King, with Prince Charles, the Prince Elector, and other Nobles, came to York; and on

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on the 20th Day Knighted Sir Edmund Cooper, then Lord Mayor; and the 24th Day, His Majesty's Printers set up their Presses in the House belonging to Sir Henry Jenkins in the Minster-yard.

This Year also His Majesty kept His Maunday in the Minster, upon the seventh of April.

The same Day, (April the seventh) James Duke of York came to York; And the next Day, the King kept St. Georges Feast in great State: And the Day after that, made the Duke of York Knight of the Garter in the Chapter House.

April the 13th. The Lord Mayor presented the Prince of Wales with a goodly Horse, a very rich Saddle, and Furniture suitable.

May the 20th. A Portugal Ambassador came to York, and on the 24th, Sir Edward Littleton Lord-Keeper of the Great Seal; and shortly after, The Marquess Hambleton, The Bishop of Exeter, the Earls of Devonshire, Salisbury, Monmouth, Westmoreland, Cumberland, Bark-shire, Southampton, Carlile, Dover, Northampton, Bristol, Clare, Dorset, Bath, with others.

June the 3d. A great Meeting by the Country was on Heworth-Moore, supposed to be 70000, to whom His Majesty declar'd his Intentions.

June the 18th. The Earl of Salisbury, and the Earl of Clare left the King, and went to the Parliament at Westminster.

August the 9th. The Prince Elector took leave of His Majesty, and went for Scarborough to take Shipping for

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for *Holland*. And on the 16th Day the King, with most of His Nobles, went hence towards *Nottingham*: And the next Day went the Duke of *York*.

September the 2d. There was a great Meeting of the Citizens at the Common-Hall, by Vertue of a Summons from the Lord Mayor, and *Henry* Earl of *Cumberland*, where the said Earl's Commission was Read, for putting the said City into a Posture of Defence: And on the next Day was Ordnance mounted on the Barrs.

Decemb. the 3d. *William* Marquess of *Newcastle* came to *York* with a great Army, ten Pieces of Ordnance, and Ammunition for the King's Service.

About the latter end of *January*, the King's Mint began to Coin in Sir *Henry Jenkins* House in the Minster-Yard.

March the 7th. The Queen came to *York*, attended by the Duke of *Richmond*, and several other Noble Persons; and was Honourably welcomed by the Lord Mayor, and the City, bringing with Her great store of all manner of Ammunition for War, which she brought out of *Holland*, having Sir *Martin Van Trumpe* the *Holland* Admiral for Her Convoy to *Bridlington* Key, where she Landed, being shot at by the *English* Ships as she came on Shoar, staying about a Fortnight at *Bridlington* to refresh her self.

March the 16th. Her Majesty, with several Nobles, was most Royally Feasted by the Lord Mayor.

1643. Sir Edmund Cooper, 3. John Kilvington.
James Brearey.

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Sir *Edmund Cooper* the third time Lord Mayor by the King's Order; but not Sworn.

This Year *Cliffords* Tower, being exceeding ruinous, was re-edified and strengthened with Fortifications. Sir *Francis Cobb* Colonel, was Governour thereof, who with his Lieutenant Colonel, Major, and Captains, had their Lodgings there during the Siege of the City.

June the sixth, The Queen, with all her Train, left York.

December 13th, *John Miers* Attorney was chosen Alderman, in stead of *John Vaux* deceas'd.

1644. Sir *Edmund Cooper*, 4. *William Tayler.*
Thomas Nayler.

Sir *Edmund Cooper* Knight, the fourth time Lord Mayor. After the Rendition of the City to the Enemy, was displaced; and *Thomas Hoyle* put in his stead.

March 6th *James Brook* Grocer was chosen Alderman in stead of *Thomas Hodgson* deceas'd.

This Year on the 23d of April, the Scots faced York at a distance, on the West side of the River *Ouse*.

And on the 29th day, they, with the other Forces of the Enemy, consisting of three Armies, under the Conduct of the three Generals, viz. the Earl of *Manchester*, *Alexander Lesley* Earl of *Leaven*, General of the Scots; and *Ferdinando* Lord *Fairfax*: which three Armies were reputed to be near 50000 Fighting Men. They laid close Siege to the City, so that a Quarter of Veal and Mutton was sold for sixteen Shillings a piece;

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Beef at four Shillings *per* Stone; a Pigg at seven Shillings; A Hen at four Sillings; Eggs at three Pence a piece; and fresh Butter at two Shillings and eight pence *per* Pound; yet the Souldiers and Citizens were well Contented, and Couragious, having no want of Salt Meat, nor of any sort of Grain, which was Sold at Reasonable Rates; and of Wine, Beer, and Ale, there was Plenty.

May the second, the seven Wind-Mills on *He-worth-Moor* were Burnt by the Enemy: and the next day the Water-Mills, called *Abbey-Mills*, and the Wind Mill adjoyning, with the Pepper Mill, were also Burnt.


June the eighth, being *Whitson* Eve, a Cannon Bullet weighing sixty Pound, shot from the Mill Hill above Saint *Lawrence Lyes* without *Walmegate Barr*, was shot through Saint *Sampsons* Church Steeple, and there taken up: And also in the time of the Siege, the Spire of Saint *Dionis* Church was shot through with a Cannon Bullet.

During the Leaguer, the Enemy shot well-nigh forty hot Fiery Bullets out of their Mortar-pieces, which Providence so directed, as that most of them were quenched in the River *Fosse*; only one, flew a Maid in *Thursday Market*, and a shell of that fell into Master *Clerkes* the Writing-masters Chamber there, which brake down a Sparr of the House, and cast down a Couple of Ling upon old Mistriss *Clerke*, which knocked her under the Table, being almost fourscore years of Age, so that the Table did preserve her from hurt; save only that there was a Scarr without a Wound.

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 The Sectarian Army thinking to abolish the Service of the Common Prayer in a Military way, which by Disputation they were not able to perform, made choice of *Trinity Sunday*, being the 16th of *June*, to put in Execution their Hellish Design, and in time of Common-Prayer at the *Minster*, did blow up Saint *Maries* Tower at the North-East Corner of the *Mannor*; and at the same time, they made a Battery, and a Breach in the Wall lower down in Saint *Maries* Gate, whereat they endeavoured to enter; but the Valour of the Citizens, and White-Coats of the Marquess of *New-castles* own Regiment, being led on by their Commanders, above forty of the Enemy were slain in the Garden and Bowling green, and about two hundred and fifty taken Prisoners. In which Conflict, that Valiant Citizen Master *Samuel Breary* (third Son of *William Brearey* Alderman Deceased) and Lieutenant Colonel of a Company of 250. stout Volunteer Citizens, being shot with a poysoned Bullet into one of his Arms, four days after dyed. At the same time was Colonel Sir *Phillip Byron*, and Colonel *Huddleston*, two Valiant Commanders slain. After this Defeat, the Enemy was much daunted, (*Cromwell*, that Monster of Men, being a Colonel in that quarter:) Upon this Defeat, our Souldiers would jeer the Enemy, and tell them, *They were stealing the Kings Apples, but they were taken in the Mannor.*

July the first, in the Morning, the Enemy raised their Siege, to give Prince *Rupert* Battle, who was sent by the King to Relieve the City; and on the next day fought him on *Marston Moore*, being the greatest

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Battle in all the Warrs: where the Prince was Defeated, yet not till he first made all the Enemies Generals run: There were 7000. at least, slain on both sides; and the most eminent Persons that were Slain on the Princes side, were Sir *William Wentworth*, Sir *William Lampton*, Sir *Thomas Metham*, Colonel *Eury*, and Colonel *Slingsby*: upon which Victory, the Enemy did draw before *York* again, and sat down before it.

July the 16. After this long Siege, during which, some Houses in *Walmgate* near the Gate were pulled down, by reason the Enemy had Mined to the middle Jaumb of that Barr; which was discovered by one that the Perdues in *Saint Georges Close* (then under the Command of the Governour of *Cliffords Tower*) took, who brought him to the Tower, and being strictly examined by the Lieutenant Colonel in *Cliffords Tower*, confessed, *That they were Mining, and that they had Mined to the middle of the Barr, and shewed where they began to Mine*, being at a little Houle on the North of the said Gate, which Sir *Thomas Glemham*, that Gallant and Vigilant Governour prevented, by Mining above them, and pouring water in upon them. He also caused a new Wall of Earth to be made cross the Street, a good distance within the Gate, for the better Security of the City.

Most of the Suburbs of the City was burnt down, except a few Houses without *Mckle-gate Bar*, which were preserv'd by the Royal Fort. *Monk Bridge*, and the Bridge at *Lathrope Postern* were broken down.

The City it self, together with the Forts and Tower, five and thirty Pieces of Ordnance, three thousand Arms,

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Arms, five Barrels of Powder, and other Ammunition was yielded up to the Enemy by the Governour Sir *Thomas Glemham*, with the Consent of the Lord Mayor and Magistrates, upon Honourable Articles; but never perform'd to the Dishonour of them that broke them.

Thomas Hoyle Alderman, and one of the Burgessees in Parliament, got into Sir *Edmund Cooper* the Loyal Lord Mayor's Place: And upon *January* the 13th, procured *John Geldart*, *Stephen Watson*, *Tho. Dickinson*, *Robert Horner*, *Leonard Thompson*, and *Simon Coulton*, to be chosen Aldermen, for their Disaffection, in the Places of Sir *Edmund Cooper*, Sir *Robert Belt*, Sir *Roger Jaques*, *Robert Hemsworth*, *William Scott*, and *John Myers*, displaced and disfranchised for their Loyalty to the King.

It is remarkable, That when the Enemy advanced with their whole Cannon (which carried a 60 Pound Bullet) from *Gate-Foulford*, to plant it on *Heslington Hill*; the Lieutenant Colonel of the Tower, being then upon the Platforme, commanded *David Guillome*, a Loyal Citizen, the Cannoneer's Mate, to travers the Guns, and to level them according to Art, and giving Fire to a Demy-Culverin, did that Execution, which made the Enemy run all from their Cannon, where they lay all that Day betwixt *Foulford* and *York*.

1645. John Geldart, 1.

Robert Scott.

Thomas Driffeild.

This Year the City-Walls began to be Repaired.

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1646. Stephen Watson, 1.

*John Peighen.
Edward Gray.*

August the 28th. *William Tayler* Merchant was chose Alderman, instead of *Simon Coulton* deceased.

1647. Thomas Dickinson, 1.

*Christopher Topham.
Barth. Watman.*

This Year the New great Mace was made.

May the 22d. The City was dismantled of its Garrison, (*Clifford's Tower* only excepted) of which the Lord Mayor was (by the Thing then called a Parliament) made Governour, and so continued several Years.

June the 15th. A Sun-Dial was set up over the South Door of the *Minster*.

December the 20th. *Edward Gray* Mercer was chose Alderman, instead of *James Hutchinson* deceased.

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1648. Robert Horner, 1.

*Richard Pagett.
Thomas Mason.*

This Year *Micklegate*, *Bootham*, and *Walmgate* Barrs were Repaired and Beautified.

1649. Leonard Thompson, 1.

*Henry Tyreman.
Peter Man.*

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January the 30th. Much about the same Hour of the Day, that our late Sovereign was Murdered the Year before, *Thomas Hoyle* Alderman, and Burges in Parliament, became his own Executioner, by Hanging of himself in his House at *Westminster*, and was there found dead by his Lady, she having been Abroad that Morning.

August the 21st. *William Metcalfe* Draper was chose Alderman, instead of *Sir Christopher Croft* deceased.

August the 27th. *James Brooke* Grocer was Re-elected instead of *Thomas Hodgshon*, there being a Dispute about the Legality of the former Election.

1650. *William Tayler.*

Cressy Burnet.
George Peacock.

April the 12th. *Christopher Topham* Merchant was chosen Alderman, instead of *Thomas Hoyle* deceased.

January the 15th. *Paul Beale* Mercer was chosen Alderman, instead of *Edward Gray* deceased.

1651. *James Brooke, 1.*

Bryan Dawson.
Francis Exbanke.

1652. *William Metcalfe.*

William Siddall, died.
Thomas Waite, Elect.
Richard Newton.

The 6th of *November*, being *Saturday*, Mr. *William Siddall* Baker, one of the Sheriffs, died; and on the *Tuesday* following Mr. *Thomas Waite* Goldsmith was chosen in his room.

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October the 12th. *William Ramsden* Merchant was chosen Alderman, instead of *Leonard Besson* deceased.

This Year also was *St. Katharine's House*, without *Micklegate Barr*, taken down and new Built.

1653. *Henry Thompson*, 2. *Ralph Chayter.*
 George Mancklin.

September the 13th. *George Peacock* Merchant was chose Alderman instead of *William Ramsden* deceas'd.

And this Year the Three Bells, late belonging to *St. Nicholas Church* without *Walme-gate Barr*, were hung up in *St. John's Steeple* on *Onse Bridge* end, being the biggest there.

1654. *John Geldart*, 2. *Christopher Hewley.*
 William Wasse.

1655. *Sir William Allanfon*, 2. *Richard Hewit.*
 Richard Booth.

This Year the *High Goal* on *Onse Bridge*, being very Ruinous, was taken down and new Built; and also a new Arch made thereunder, adjoyning to the old Arch.

January the 17th. The 4 Bells in the *Ladies Steeple* of the *Minster* were taken down, and hung with the great Bells in the other Steeple; To defray the Charge whereof, a Collection was made through the City.

1656. *Stephen Watson*, 2. *Nicholas Towers*, died
 Francis Marnburne.
 Henry Shaw, Elected.

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This Year, on the 27th of *June*, *Nicholas Towers* Sheriff died, being *Saturday*; and the *Tuesday* after *Henry Shaw* Butcher was chosen in his place.

Decemb. the 30th. *Bryan Dawson* Merchant was chose Alderman, instead of *George Peacock* who resigned.

The same day, *George Lamplugh* Merchant was chose Alderman instead of *Paul Beal* deceased.

This Year also *St. Anthony's Hall* in *Peasholme Green*, being in great Decay, was Re-edified. And also the middle Arch in *Lathrope Postern Bridge*, which was broken down in the time of the Siege 1644, was new Built, having had ever since a wooden Passage over.

1657. Thomas Dickinson, 2. *George Scott.*
York Horner.

October the 1st. The Eighth, or biggest Bell in the Minster save one, being broken, was new Cast; and on the 18th day, the Fourth Bell being Untuneable, was likewise new Cast; and the greatest Bell of three belonging to *St. Laurence Church*, without *Walmegate Barr*, was used to add Metal; and towards the Charge thereof, and making the Chimes to go on all the Bells, the Lord Mayor and Aldermen gave 130 Pounds from the Chamber.

October the 2d. *Richard Hewitt* Merchant was chosen Alderman instead of *Sir William Allenson* deceased.

1658. Robert Horner, 2. *William Barwick.*
William Richardson.

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1659. Leonard Thompson, 2. *William Wilkinson.*
Thomas Reynolds.

November the 30th. *Ralph Chaiter* Grocer was chose Alderman instead of *John Geldart* deceased.

This Year Mrs. *Middleton's* Hospital in *Skeldergate*, within the Parish of *St. Mary the Elder* on *Bishop-hill*, was Erected for Twenty Free-men's poor Widows, each Widow being to have Four Pounds a Year: And for the Building and Endowment thereof accordingly, Mrs. *Anne Middleton*, late of the same Street and Parish deceased, and late Widow and Relict of *Peter Middleton* Gent. and one of the Sheriffs in 1618, gave Two thousand Pounds by her last Will and Testament. She also gave One hundred Pound to the City; and appointed that the Interest thereof should be put to Bind poor Free-men's Sons Apprentices. She gave Threescore and six Pounds thirteen Shillings and Four-pence to be bestowed in Plate, for the use of the Lord Mayors Successively. And Forty Pounds for a Stock to keep the Poor at work, besides other Charitable Gifts. And also One Thousand Pound for the Building and Endowment of a Free-School at *Shipton* in the Forest of *Gawtries*.

This Year, The Farther end of the Stayth, towards the Sugar-house, was Fenced with a Brick-wall against the Water.

This Year also was the Bell-house, in the Church-Yard of *St. Mary the Elder* in *Bishop-Hill*, taken down and a Steeple of Stone and Brick built on the West-end of the Church; and also a new Roof Erected on the South-side.

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September the 26th. A new Bell being made out of the two lesser, belonging to the Church of St. Laurence without *Walmegate* Barr, was hung up in the Steeple of *Christ-Church*, being the least of Four there.

1660. *Christ. Topham, Merch.* } *William Pannet.*
obiit in 1670. } *John Peacock, died.*
Will. Kitchinman.

On Wednesday *April* the 3d. This Year 1660. died *John Peacock* Sheriff, and on the *Monday* after *Sir Metcalfe Robinson*, Bart. was Elected in his stead, on Purpose to hinder his being Elected a Parliament-man; but Course being taken to make the King acquainted, he sends his *Mandamus* to Elect another, according to which, on *Saturday* the 27th of *April*, *William Kitchinman* was Elected and Sworn.

February 28th. *George Mancklin* Furrier was chosen Alderman, instead of *Stephen Watson* deceased.

Sir Metcalfe Robinson of *Newby*, Barronet, took his Freedom this Year.

May the 8th. *Sir Thomas Widdrington* was chosen Recorder in the room of *Sir Robert Barwick* deceas'd.

This Year the Lord Mayor Rode the Bounds of the City on the East-side, accompanied with several Aldermen, and a great Company of Citizens; and caused the City Arms to be set up near the Castle-gates.

Friday, *May* the 11th. was King *Charles* the Second Proclaim'd in the Pavement, and on the Minster-stairs, with great Solemnity; the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, Sheriffs, and the Four-and-Twenty, being present on

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Horseback in their several Gowns; also the Chamberlains and Common-Council on Foot in their Gowns, attended by above a thousand Citizens in Arms, with above Two hundred Country Gentlemen, who Rode with their Swords drawn, and their Hats on their Sword Points; the Bells then Ringing, and Canons Playing from the Tower, whilest the Souldiers gave many Vollies of Shot: And at Night, Tarr-barrels and Bonfires, with the greatest Expressions of Joy that possible could be imagined.

This Year was the Causey on the West-side *Onse*, opposite to the Stayth, fully finished.

On *Saturday* Night, being the Eighth of *December*, was a terrible Wind which did much Hurt to the City and Minster.

1661. James Brooke, 2.

Francis Wheelwright.
Richard Shawe.

James Brooke of *Allenthorpe*, Grocer, made the second time Lord Mayor by Virtue of the King's *Mandate*. He died in the Eighty second Year of his Age, and was buried at *Audburgh* on the 6th of *December*, 1675.

The 29th of *May* was observed in this City, as being the King's Birth-day, with great Solemnity; and the Effigies of the late Usurper and Tyrant *Oliver Cromwell*, cloathed in a pinckt Sattin Suit, together with the Picture of that base Miscreant and unjust Judge *John Bradshaw*, cloathed in a Judge's Habit; as likewise the hellish *Scotch Covenant*, and the late States Arms which stood in the Common-Hall, were on the same Day hung upon a Gallows, set up for that Purpose in the

the Pavement: And at last put into three Tarr-barrels and burnt, together with the Gallows, in the Presence of at least a Thousand Citizens in Arms, and a Multitude of other Spectators.

January the 7th. *John Turner, Esq;* was chosen Recorder in the place of *Sir Thomas Widdrington*, Serjeant at Law, who gave it over.

In *August* this Year the following Petition was presented to the then Lord Chancellor,

To the Right Honourable
EDWARD Earl of Clarendon
Lord High Chancellor of England.

The Humble Petition of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty
of the City of YORK.

Humbly Sheweth,

THAT the City of YORK is an ancient City to which several Kings of England have been graciously pleased to grant divers Priviledges and Immunities by several Charters, as Testimonies of their singular Favour to that Corporation; And amongst others, King Richard the Second, by his Royal Charter dated the 11th of February in the 16th Year of his Reign, did grant unto the Lord Mayor and Commonalty, That the same City, Subburbs, and Liberties thereof should be a distinct County of it self, And that the Justices of Peace for the County of YORK should not intermeddle within the same: Since which time King Henry the VI. by his Royal Charter dated the 11th Day of February, in the 27th Year of his Reign, for Enlarging the Liberties of the same City, was graciously pleas'd to annex the Weapontake of Ainsty (being a Place adjoyning) to the County of the said City, and thereby granted, That the Mayor and Aldermen of the said City should be Justices of Peace within the said Weapontake as well as within the City: Which said Grants have since been Confirmed, as well by our late Sovereign Lord King Charles the First of happy Memory, as other his Majesties Predecessors, and ever since (being now above 200 Years) the Mayor and Aldermen for the time being only (and no other) have been Justices of the Peace of the said
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Weapontake, and have holden their General Quatrer Sessions of the Peace within the said City, the remotest Part of the said Weapontake not being above Eight Miles distant from the City.

That nevertheless some Gentlemen, (viz.) Sir Thomas Slingsby, Sir Miles Stapleton, James Moyser, and Richard Rowndell, who are not Free of this City, have by your Lordship's Warrant been lately put in Commission to be sworn Justices of Peace within the said Weapontake.

Your Petitioners therefore humbly beseech your Lordship not to take away their Ancient Rights and Priviledges, but be pleased to supersede the said Commission of Peace, that so your Petitioners may enjoy their Liberties formerly granted to them, as hath been accustomed for 200 Years past, without Interruption by Strangers.

And your Petitioners shall humbly Pray, &c.

The Lord Chancellor's Answer to the Petition.

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I Shall not by any Act or Order of mine violate or infringe any Priviledges of the City, and if their Case be such as is suggested in their Petition, I shall supersede the Commission issued out; but because Persons of Quality have confidently averred to me, that the Practice hath been otherwise till the Beginning of these late Troubles, I will hear what can be said of both sides before I determine, and to that Purpose I do appoint to hear upon the second of November, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, what can be alledged of either side, and shall proceed accordingly. Of which let Sir Thomas Slingsby and the other Persons concerned have Notice.

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Upon hearing, the Commissions were superseded.

1662. George Lamplugh.

Thomas Williamson.
John Beares.

May the 17th. Edward Elwick Apothecary was chose Alderman, instead of William Metcalfe deceased.

On the 3d and 4th of September, The Commissioners appointed by Act of Parliament for Regulating Corporations

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rations, sat in the Common-Hall, and displaced most of the Common Council, as also *Thomas Dickinson* one of *Oliver's* Knights, *Robert Horner*, *Leonard Thompson*, *William Tayler*, and *Bryan Dawson*, Aldermen; and instead of *Ralph Chayter*, being dead, restored *Robert Hemsworth* Esquire, the then only surviving Alderman, unjustly put out in the Year 1644, and Elected *Henry Thompson* Merchant, *Christopher Brearey*, *Cressley Burnet*, *John Tayler* Apothecary, and *Henry Tyreman* Draper, in their stead.

On the 3d of *November*, *Sir Metcalfe Robinson* Bart. was chosen Alderman, instead of *Henry Thompson* who resigned, but was excus'd paying a Fine.

December the 8th. *Thomas Bamtry* Merchant, was Elected Alderman, in place of Alderman *Hemsworth*, who being very Aged gave up his Gown.

On the 24th of *December*, *William Lockwood* was chosen Alderman, instead of *Sir Metcalfe Robinson* of *Newby*, Barronet, who resigned.

February the 17th. *Mr. John Kilvington* was chosen Alderman in room of *William Lockwood* who was Fined 400 Pounds for Cotempt.

1663. Hen. Thompson, Merch. } Timothy Squire
Obiit in 1683. } George Gleadstone.

Sept. 11th *George Scot* Merchant was Elected Alderman in the place of *John Kilvington*, deceased.

John Bears Alderman dyed 24th *December* 1671. in the 54th year of his Age; and lyes buried in the Chancell of *St. Hellens* in *Stone-gate*.

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1664. Edward Elwicke, of St. *Philip Herbert.*
Mich. Belfrey, obiit 1670. } Richard Tenant.

This Year The Cities CHARTER was renewed. And Sir *Roger Langley* had his Freedom, and was Elected Alderman *August 11th* in the place of Alderman *Scot* who dyed this year.

Timothy Squire Woollen Draper Sheriff of this City, died 6th *October 1666*: And lies Buried in *Christs Church*.

1665. Richard Hewet.

Edward Gayle.
Abraham Faber.

Soon after Easter this Year, *James* Duke of *TORK* with his Dutcheſs, coming to the City were met at *Tadcaſter* Bridge by the Sheriffs of the County of the City; and at *Micklegate-Bar* were received by the Lord Mayor and Aldermen in their Formalities on Horſe-back: And the Chamberlains and Common-Councell on Foot in their Gowns: Where *Richard Ethrington* Eſquire Deputy Recorder, made a Speech to His Royal Highneſs, Which being Ended, and after being Feaſted at Alderman *Bawtry's* Houſe, at the Cities Charge were conducted to the Lord *Erwyn's* Houſe in the Minſter-yard, where they ſtayed about two Months. And every *Sunday* when they went to the Minſter, The Sword and Mace were born before him, by the Lord Mayor; and Sir *Henry Thomſon* Senior.

October 12th William Richardson Draper was elected Alderman in the room of *John Tayler* deceased.

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1666. George Mancklin.

Richard Metcalfe.

John Morley.

George Mancklin Furrier, Alderman and Mayor of the City, died the 27th of December, 1684. and lies buried in St. Michael's Church, at Ouse-bridge end, in the Chancel.

This Year the City-Walls were Repaired betwixt Monk-Barr and Lathorp-Postern.

1667. Cressley Burnet, Merch. }
obit in 1680. }

Richard Kilvington.

Christopher Simpson.

This Year, Sir Roger Langley of Sheriff-Hutton, Bart. gave over his Gown. And on the 11th of December, Sir Henry Thompson of Castle-gate, Merchant, was Elected Alderman in his stead.

This Year, The new Dial was set upon Ouse-bridge: Also this Year was Arch-Bishop Holgate's Free-School taken down and Re-built.

1668. Henry Tyreman.

Christopher Cooke.

Thomas Cooke.

Henry Tyreman Draper, Lord Mayor, died the 19th of Decemb. 1670. and lies buried in Christ-Church, in a little Chappel on the North-side. His Armes being, Sab. 2 Chev. inter 3 Lions passant Ar.



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This Year 1668. The Crofs in *Thursday* Market was Beautified with a Sun-Dial, and a Fane upon it: And a Clock and a Dial was fet up at St. *Martin's* Church in *Coney-street*.

1669. Christopher Brearey.

William Ramsden.
William Bell.

This Year, The two Sheriffs laid aside the Feasting of the Lord Mayor, and other Citizens, according to Custom on their Riding day: And their Riding was only attended by the Four Attorneys and Officers of the Court of *Onse-bridge*, and their Serjeants at Mace, who were exposed to the Scorn and Dirision of all Citizens present.


This Year, Sir *Henry Thompson*, Sen. gave to the Merchant's Fellowship 50 Pounds, for the Maintenance of Three Quarterly Sermons to be Preached for Ever yearly in the Merchant's Chappel.

1670. Thomas Bawtry.

Andrew Perrott.
John Becket.

Thomas Bawtry Merchant, Lord Mayor, died the 15th of *November*, 1673. and lies buried in the Chancel of St. *Martins* in *Micklegate*.

January the 13th. *John Bears* Brewer was chosen Alderman, instead of *Christopher Topham* deceas'd.

 This Year, The Gold-Chain weighing Sixteen Ounces, was given to the Lady Mayorefs, to be worn by the Lady Mayorefs for the time being. Likewise a Silver Chamber-pot, weight 50 Ounces, to her use.

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Moreover, to the Lord Mayor and Commonalty, was given a Golden Bowle, weighing 26 Ounces. And the Sum of 400 Pounds for Building of a Market Cross, in the *Pavement*.

Also 100 Pounds to the Parish-poor of *St. Crux*; where the Donor of all these was born, viz. Mr. *Marmaduke Rawdon*, Merchant of *London*.

Thomas Nisbet.

1671. William Richardson. *Fra. Calvert*, a Papist who took the Oath.

Alderman *Richardson* Draper, Lord Mayor, died 28th of *August*, 1679. and lies buried in the Chancel of *St. Trinity* Church in *Gotheromgate*.

This Year was built, The new Cross in the *Pavement*; and for the Enlargement of the Market-Place, were several Houses pulled down, which stood betwixt *All-Saints* Church and it. Bought with the Gift of the before specified Mr. *Rawdon*.

1672. Sir Hen. Thompson, jun. } *Thomas Waynd.*
Knight, obiit 1692. } *Robert Horsfeild.*

February the 9th. *Richard Metcalfe* Merchant was chosen Alderman, instead of *John Bears* deceased.

This Year, on the 29th of *July*, The Lord Mayor observed the ancient Custom of going down the River of *Onse*, in his Barge well attended, to view the River, That no Fish-Garths should be built to the Hinderance of the Passage of Vessels; And also to Fish thereon. (which Custom had been disused from the Year 1639.)

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William Ramsden Merchant was chosen Alderman, *January* the 13th, 1672--3. instead of *Henry Tyreman*, deceased.

1673. *Thomas Williamson*, } *John Pecket.*
Obiit in 1681. } *George Ramsden.*

May the 12th. *Tork Horner* Merchant was chosen Alderman, instead of *Richard Hewitt* deceased.

This Year *Lanthorns* were ordered to be hung out in *Winter-Nights* in the principal Corners of the Streets.

Also this Year, *Onse-Bridge* was new Paved from Grate to Grate; and a Free-stone Foot-pace laid on the South-side of the Bridge.

This Year died Alderman * *Bawtry*, and Mr. *Francis Elcock* in *Petergate* Grocer was chosen Alderman in his place *December* the 30th. (* *vid.* p. 122.)

1674. *Rich. Metcalf*, Merch. } *Robert Waller.*
Obiit 1686. } *Francis Elwick*

This year died *George Lamplugh*, And *Philip Herbert* of *Micklegate* Merchant was Elected Alderman in his stead, *June* 5th.

1675. *William Ramsden*, *Thomas Carter*
 John Foster.

This year died *James Brook* Alderman and *Richard Shaw* Butcher was Elected in his stead. *Jan:* 6th

And *Christopher Breary* died, and *John Constable* was Chosen Alderman in his place, *Jan.* 21st.

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This Year the City purchased of the Lord *Hallifax*, the dissolved Hospital of *St. Leonards* in *York*, called *Mint-yard*; with all its Priviledges &c. paying 80 l. for the Purchase, at 100 lib. per Annum.

1676 York Horner, Merch. } *John Mold.*
Obiit. 1679. } *John Blackburn.*

This Year Mr. *George Pricket* was Chosen one of the City-Council according to the late Charter.

1677. Francis Elcocke. *William Baron.*
William Watson.

The Lord Mayor was sent for by a Messenger to the Council Table, to Answer his not acting in the Duty of Harth-Money. Sir *Henry Thompson* of *Middlethorp*, Alderman *Ramsden* and *Herbert* accompanying him.

This *Francis Elcock*, The most Worthy Mayor of the City, died the 26th day of *October* 1686. Aged 65 years, and lies buried in a little Chappel on the North side of *Christ's Church*. His Arms being, gu. a Saltire varrie O. & B. inter 4 Cocks O.

1678. Philip Herbert. *Henry Pawson.*
Roger Wilberfosse.

1679. Richard Shaw, Butch. } *Thomas Moseley.*
Obiit 1687. } *George Stockton.*

This year died Alderman *York Horner*, And *Thomas Carter* Merchant was Elected Alderman in his stead. *September. 24th.*

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This Year the Water Works at *Lendall* Tower was begun for conveying Water by Pipes through the Streets of the City.

1683. Edward Thompson.

Francis Duckworth.

Thomas Cooke.

This year died Sir *Henry Thompson* Senior of *Eskrick* Knight and Alderman; And Mr. *John Thompson* of *Conyng-street* Goldsmith, was Elected in his place. August 21st.

This year a Stock of Hemp and Flax was provided for setting the Poor on Work, The Lord Mayor taking due Care that no Beggar was suffered to Wander, or Begg in the Streets.

Great Frost, from 16th *Novemb.* till 11th of *February.*

1684. Robert Waller.

John Pemberton.

Thomas Lutton.

This Year died Alderman *George Mancklin*; And Mr. *Leonard Wilberfoss*, chosen Alderman in his stead. February 28th.

And on St. George's Day about 10 at Night *Clifford's* Tower was burnt.

This Year was the Writt of *Quo Warranto* against the City served upon the Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Sheriffs, and Commonalty, to which they giving no Appearance, Judgment by Default passed against them. And at the next Assizes, holden the 14th of July, Sir *George Geffries* Lord Chief Justice, and then Judge of Assize,

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Affize, had Commission from the King to seize the City's Liberties; But upon the City's Address to His Majesty, and surrendering of their Charter, the King respited the said Commission till further Order.

And on St. *Jame's* Day this Year, The Lord Mayor and Aldermen removed their Seats in *Yorke* Minster, from the North-side of the Quire to the South-side, upon the Motion of Sir *George Geffries*, for the healing the Difference between the Church and the City about the Right thereof; The Arch-deacons claiming those Seats as theirs, into which they were Installed.

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1685. Jo. Thompson, Golds. } *Francis Tayler.*
 } *Obiit in 1692.* } *Leonard Robinson.*

On the 10th of *February* this Year, King *James II.* was with great Solemnity Proclaimed King in this City; and a Proclamation then Issued out, requiring all Officers Military and Civil to act in their respective Places, until His Majesty's further Pleasure be known.

And on the 17th of *February*, The Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Common-Council made an Address to His Majesty, presented by the Earl of *Bridlington*, then nominated Recorder of *YORK*.

This Year His Majesty renewed the City's Charter, formerly forfeited: And on the 8th of *August* in the Evening it was brought in by Mr. *Pricket*, Deputy Recorder, &c. being met, in the way betwixt *Yorke* and *Tadcaster*,

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Tadcaster, by 500 Citizens on Horseback: And received at *Micklegate* Barr, by the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Four-and-Twenty, and of the Common-Council in all their Formalties, who passed from thence to the *Guild-Hall*, where the aforesaid Deputy made a Speech, which being ended, the whole Company drunk their Majesties Healths; the Streets being all Illuminated, the Bells ringing, and all other Expressions of Joy.

Upon the renewing the Charter, the King displaced Five Aldermen, viz. *William Ramsden*, *Francis Elcock*, *Philip Herbert*, *Edward Thompson*, and *Robert Waller*; Placing in their steads, *Thomas Mosley* Apoth. *Thomas Raine* Attorney at Law, *Roger Shakleton* Grocer, *Henry Tyreman*, and *William Tomlinson* Gent. who taking their accustomary Oaths, entred upon their Places.

And on the 26th of October, *Richard* Earl of *Bridlington* was sworn Recorder of this City, in the Place of *John Turner*, Serjeant at Law, displaced by Virtue of the new Charter.

1686. Leonard Wilberfoss, } *William Appleton*.
Obiit in 1692. } *Thomas Watson*.

This Year died *Richard Metcalfe* Alderman; and on July the 18th, *Sir Stephen Thompson*, French-merchant in *Micklegate*, was Elected Alderman in his stead.

1687. Thomas Mosley. *John Bell*.
Peter Richardson.

This Year died *Thomas Carter* Alderm. and Mr. *Samuel Dawson* Merch. on the 26th of March, was chosen in his place.

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On ult. of March, *Richard Shaw* Alderm. died; and on the 5th of July following, Mr. *Joshua Earnshaw*, Merchant, was chosen in his stead.

This Year, Bishop *Laburne* came to YORK, and Confirmed several of the *Romish* Perswasion, and Consecrated their Mass-house.

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1688.	Tho. Reyne. }	<i>Marmaduke Butler.</i>
	Rob. Waller. }	<i>Thomas Fothergill.</i>
		<i>Christopher Hutton.</i>

This Year, The Council-Chamber in the *Mannour* was Converted into a *Roman* Chappel, and Consecrated by one — *Smith* a *Roman* Bishop.

And about the 5th of *October* this Year, A Messenger brought down a *Mandamus* from the King and Council, for removing *Thomas Reyne* Ld. Mayor from his Office, and *Tho. Mosley*, *John Thompson*, Sir *Stephen Thompson*, and *Henry Tyreman*, from being Aldermen; and Ten Common-Council-Men. Ordering, Mr. *Charl. Fairfax* of the House of *Gilling*, a *Catholick*, for to succeed in the Office of Mayor, and other *Red-letter* Men in their Places, being no Free-men of the City: The remaining Aldermen could not proceed to a new Election according to the *Mandamus*, the Old Mayor being displaced, before they had sworn a New Mayor, leaving the City destitute of a Mayor for the space of 35 days; until *Friday* the 9th of *Novem.* when the King's Writt to the Sheriffs was openly read in the Common-Hall, for Restauration of the City's Liberties, as it was at the very Time when Judgment was Entered upon the *Quo Warranto*, in *Trinity* Term, 1684. And

And immediately after was Published the King's *Mandamus*, for Restoring the old Aldermen (removed by the King's new Charter in *Anno Dom.* 1685.) who all took their Places accordingly, *viz.* *Robert Waller* Attorney, Lord Mayor, in the place of *Thomas Reyne*. And *William Ramsden*, *Philip Herbert*, and *Edward Thompson*, Aldermen, were Restored; and *Tho. Mosley*, *Roger Shackleton*, *Henry Tyreman*, and *William Tomlinson* Removed. Likewise the then present Sheriffs, *viz.* *Mr. Matthew Bayocke*, and *Mr. Marmaduke Butler*, were Removed. And *Sir Stephen Thompson*, *Samuel Dawson*, and *Joshua Earnshaw*, the late Elected Aldermen, were Displaced. And on the 12th of *Novemb.* *Thomas Fothergill* Dier, and *Christopher Hutton* Glover, were chosen Sheriffs in the Places of *Matthew Bayocke* Merchant, and *Marmaduke Butler* Mercer.

On *Thursday* the 15th of *November*, were several Common-Council-Men chosen, instead of those Removed by the Restored Charter.

On the 16th of *November*, *John Turner* Serjeant at Law resigned his Recordership, upon which the Mayor, Aldermen, and 24 Commoners, unanimously Elected *George Prickitt*, Esq; to be Recorder.

And on *Munday*, the 19th of *November*, were Elected to be Aldermen; *John Foster*, in the *Pavement*, *Harberdasher*; *Samuel Dawson*, of *Micklegate*, Merchant; *George Stockton*, of *Crux* Parish, *Silkw.* and *Mr. Joshua Earnshaw* of *Micklegate*, Merchant.

✂ On the 5th of *Novemb.* The Prince of *Orange* Entred the Kingdom in the West.

And on *Thursday*, the 22d of *November*, A great Number of the Gentry of the County assembled at the *Guild-Hall*, and in the Afternoon seized upon the

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main Guard,—Disarming the King's Souldiers being there upon the Guard; with several loud Acclamations for the *CHURCH of ENGLAND*, The *Protestant Religion*, and a *Free Parliament*.

About five Days after, The *MOR* of the City pulled down all the new Erected Popish Chappels, and fell on Plundering several Private Houses of Papists.

K. WILLIAM III. and Q. MARY II.

1689. John Foster, *Haberd.**John Thorpe.**Thomas Barstow.*

On *Sunday 21st of Septemb. 1690. John Thorpe Sheriff* Hanged himself; and on *Thursday* following, the *25th of Septemb. Thomas Drewry* Sword-bearer was Elected Sheriff in his stead, to supply the remaining part of the Year till *Michaelmas* day, being four days after.

This Year died *Sir Metcalfe Robinson* of *Newby*, *Bart.* who had been several times a Representative in Parliament for this City.

On the *17th of February, 1688. William and Mary* were Proclaimed King and Queen of *England*, &c. in three several Places of this City of *YORK*, viz. The Pavement, Guild-Hall, and Minster-steps.

1690. Samuel Dawson.

*Thomas Bradley.**Robert Clarke.*

1691. George Stockton.

*George Pickering.**Robert Foster.*

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This Year, The Sun-dyal and Fane upon the Crofs in *Thursday* Market was Repaired and Beautified.

And also a Place in *Hungate* for a Common Dunghill (adjoining to the Shoemaker's Hall) was appointed and walled about.

1692. Joshua Earnshaw.

Emanuel Justice.
Mark Gill, Goldf.

This Year died Alderman *Wilberfoss*, and *George Kieghley* was Elected Alderman in his stead, but he refused and stood to his fine; Then after was Mr. *Pethuel Fish* chosen Alderman, and for his Contempt in not Coming in to be Sworn in time, The Court went to a new Election, viz. of Mr. *Andrew Perrot* Merchant, who was Sworn Alderman accordingly. And Mr. *Fish* fined 300 *lib.* for Contempt, &c. but afterwards the fine was remitted.

This Year also died Alderman *John Thompson*, and Mr. *Robert Davy* on 17th of *October* was Elected Alderman in his place.

Also this Year died Sir *Henry Thompson* of *Middlethorpe* Alderman, and Mr. *Henry Tyreman* (a late Removed Alderman) Jan. 11th was Elected in his stead, but he died soon after.

1693. Andrew Perrott.

Peter Dawson.
George Fothergill.

This Year a Survey of the City of *T O R K* was Compleated and Performed by *Benedict Horsley* Painter-Stainer, and hung up in a golden Frame within the Guild-Hall of the City.

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April the 7th, 1693. *Michael Fothergill* Grocer was Elected Alderman, instead of *Henry Tyreman*.

This Year also died Alderman *Earnshaw* Merchant, and Mr. *William Raper* Merchant was chosen Alderman in his stead, January the 29th, 1693--4.

1694. Robert Davy. *Charles Rhodes.*
 Walter Baines.

This Year, on the 2d of *April*, About Ten of the Clock at Night happened a terrible Fire in this City, in high *Onse-gate* towards the *Pavement*, which destroyed several Dwelling-houses and Shops (great and little); and the Church of *All-Saints* in the *Pavement* escaped wonderfully, although most of the Windows thereof were broken with the Violence and Heat of the Flames.

Novemder the 14th. *Gilbert Metcalfe* was chosen Alderman, instead of *Michael Fothergill* who resigned.

Likewise, An Order for Buryings before Three of the Clock in the Afternoon (begun in the Mayoralty of Alderman *Perrott*) in the Week-days, and at Four on Sundays; which said Order was renewed and appointed by the Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Sheriffs, with some of the Four-and-Twenty, in the Council-Chamber upon *Onse-bridge*, by and with the Approbation of the most Reverend Father in God *John Sharp*, Ld. Arch-Bishop of *York* His Grace, To be observed.

1695. Sir Gilbert Metcalf, Kt. *John Peckit.*
 Robert Rudstone.
 Francis Tomlinson.

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In May died Robert Rudstone, one of the Sheriffs, and Francis Tomlinson was chosen for the remaining Part of the Year.

This Year was the Chamberlains Fishing, Two large Ketches being handsomely fitted up with Tapistry, the Lord Mayor, with several of the Aldermen, the Two Sheriffs, and the Eight Chamberlains, went on Board one of them; and the Lady Mayores, with the Aldermen's Ladies, the two Sheriffs and the Chamberlain's Wives, on Board the other with the Town-Waites, accompanied with several other small Boats; went down as far as Camood and fished for Salmon all along, and caught 17 large Salmons, part of which were got ready on Board with other Victuals, and Plenty of Wine and Ale, which made a very handsome Entertainment; they return'd about Eleven a Clock at Night, their Landing at York being attended with a Multitude of Citizens with lighted Torches and Links, and Huzza's.

In August this Year, William Ramsden Alderman, by reason of several great Losses at Sea and other Misfortunes, laid down his Gown and had 30l. per Annum for his Life, allowed him out of the City-stock.

September the 3d. Roger Shackleton, one of the Aldermen in the New Charter granted by K. James in 85. and displaced by the Restoration of the Old Charter in 88. was Elected Alderman Sept. the 3d. in the place of William Ramsden; but he refusing to stand, Mark Gill Golds. was Elected and Sworn, Sept. the 11th.

October the 31st. The King being come to the Duke of Newcastle's House in Nottinghamshire, the Ld. Mayor accom-

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accompanied by the Recorder, two Aldermen, one of the Four-and-Twenty, and two Commoners went to wait upon his Majesty in Behalf of the City, and on the 2d of *Novem.* his Majesty Knighted the Ld. Mayor, and wou'd have conferred the same Honour upon the Recorder, but he desired to be excused. Likewise on *Novemb.* the 1st. His Grace the Ld. Arch-Bishop went to wait on His Majesty in *Nottinghamshire.*

November 11. The Election for Parliament-men for the City began, but the Poll was adjourned till next day; when Alderman *Waller*, Alderman *Edw. Thomson* and *Tobias Jenkins*, Esq; were Candidates, the Two latter were Chosen.

1696. John Constable, 2.

Richard Wood.
Samuel Buxton.

On the 11th of *February*, *Roger Shackleton* was again Elected Alderman, who now stood and was sworn in the room of *William Raper* Ironmonger, who had been unduly Elected by 17 Commoners only and the Bench, for which Reason he was never owned as Alderman by the Body of the Commor-Council, and therefore, after several Neglects they had passed on him, he laid down his Gown.

March the 3d. The Association was Signed by several Gentlemen, and most of the Citizens.

May the 29th. Several Overseers of the Poor were Committed to the Goal for refusing to lay their Assessments, after some time they were Bailed and bound over to the Assizes, when the Matter was heard before
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the Judges and settled; there having been great Heats and Disputes, betwixt the Bench and Citizens, about the Method for laying the Assessment for the Poor.

The Commons this Year lost their Places, all but Seven of them, for having neglected Signing the Association in due time, according to a late Act of Parliament; and on *September* the 8th there was a new Election of Common-Council Men, when most of the old ones were again Chosen.

This Year a Mint was set up in the *Mannor* for re-coyning old Money and Plate, according to a late Act of Parliament.

1697. Mark Gill, Golds.

John Welburn.
Thomas Agar.

This Year, Sir *William Robinson* of *Newby*, Baron. took his Freedom and offer'd his Service in Parliament.

April the 1st. *Crux* Church Steeple was begun to be Rebuilt, the Foundation being then laid; The Reverend Mr. *Christopher Jackson*, Rector of the said Church and Prebendary of the Cathedral, helped to lay the first Stone thereof, giving at the same time Five Guineas towards its Rebuilding, and Five Shillings to the Workmen; he also gave 200 Pounds to the City, the Interest whereof to be given for ever Yearly to two poor decay'd Tradesmen of the City, viz. Five Pounds each *per Annum*.

May the 17th. Alderman *Herbert* and Alderman *Constable* laid down their Gowns, and the former had a Yearly Allowance from the City.

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May the 25th. *Henry Thompson*, Esq; of *Escrick* was Elected Alderman in the room of the former.

June the 17th. *Thomas Moseley*, one of the new Charter Aldermen, and displaced by the Restoration of the Old, was now Elected Alderman (and sworn next day) in room of the latter.

August the 24th. *Sir John Hewley* Knight, who had been a Benefactor to the City, and a Burgess for the same, died at his Country House called *Bell-hall*.

October the 28th. Peace was Proclaimed betwixt *England, France*, and the Confederates, after nine Years Bloody Wars, both by Sea and Land.

1698. *Roger Shakleton*.

— *Radley*.
John Smith.

May the 4th this Year was a very hard FROST.

June the 2d Alderman *Waller* died; he had been twice *Ld. Mayor*, and had served the City as a Burgess in Parliament.

June the 28th. *Sir Gilbert Metcalfe* Knight and Alderman died.

June the 4th. *Sir William Robinson* of *Newby*, Bart. was Chosen Alderman, in the room of Alderm. *Waller* deceased.

July the 20th. The Election for Burgesses for the City began, The Candidates were, *Sir William Robinson* Bart. *Tobias Jenkins* Esq; and Alderman, *Edward Thompson*, the two former were Elected.

July the 21st. *Tobias Jenkins* Esq; was Elected and Sworn Alderman in the room of *Sir Gilbert Metcalfe*.

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1699. Henry Thompson, Esq; *John Thompson.*
Barth. Geldard.

This Year, A Petition was sent up from the City to the Parliament, praying leave to bring in a Bill to make the River *Onse* Navigable, and a Bill was brought in accordingly and once read, and ordered a second Reading, but an End being put to that Session of Parliament, the Bill was dropt, and *Henry Thompson* Lord Mayor, who was the chief Promoter of that Bill dying soon after, it was prosecuted no farther.

1700. Sir William Robinson. *William Redman.*
William Cornwell.

February the 12th. *George Pricket*, Serjeant at Law, by a Deed bearing date the 3d of *February*, surrendered into the hands of the Lord Mayor his Recorderhip; and on the 20th of the same Month the Lord Mayor called a House at the Bridge, and summoned the Commons, and there debated whether the Right of Election of a Recorder was in the Mayor, Aldermen, and Four and Twenty, or in them and the Commons; and there it was Resolved, The Commons had an equal Right of Voting with the Bench, and immediately adjourned to the Common-Hall where they went to an Election, and *Ric. Wynn* Esq; the City Counsellor, and *Marmaduke Pricket*, Esq; Son of the late Recorder, were proposed as Candidates, and by a general Consent the latter on the 19th of *February* was chosen; and on the 26th of the same Month (having been first approved of by the King) took the Oath of a Recorder.

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October the 17th. *John Pecket* Merch. was chosen Alderman in the room of *Hen. Thomson* Esq; deceased.

1701. *Tobias Jenkins*, Esq; *Thomas Mason*.
George Jackson.

This Year died *George Stockton* Alderm. and *Thomas Dawson* Merch. was Elected Alderman *August* the 20th in his stead; also *Edward Thompson* Alderm. and several times Burgeſſs of the City, died this Year.

December the 20th. *Elias Pawſon* Wine-merchant was chosen Alderman in the room of *Edw. Thompson* deceased.

In *January* this Year *Andre wPerrot* Alderm. died.

This Year the County-Goal at the Castle of *York*, being become very ruinous, was taken down; and in Pursuance to an Act of Parliament, a Tax of Three-pence *per* Pound was laid upon all Lands within the County, by which a new Goal was built; a very magnificent, large, and beautiful Structure, and an handsome and beautiful Chappel adjoining, with Altar handsomly railed in, and the Pavement black and white Marble, a decent Pulpit, and all the Furniture of it answerable.

1702. *John Peckit*, Merch.

Joell Savill.

Henry Banes.

Rowland Moseley.

On Saturday *December* the 5th. *Joell Savill* one of the Sheriffs died, and *Rowland Moseley* was Elected in his stead.

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On the 8th of *March*, 1702. His Majesty K. *William* died, and on the 13th following, Her Majesty Queen *ANNE* was Proclaimed in this City with the usual Ceremonies.

July the 16th. The Lord Mayor, &c. went a Fishing for Salmon down the River *Ouse*.

August the 3d. *Charles Redman* Merch. was Chosen Alderman in the room of *Andrew Perrot* deceased.

1703. Thomas Dawson.

Joseph Leach.
Edward Sellar.

On *January* 16 *Thomas Dawson* the then Lord Mayor died, which was the day after the Election of a New one to succeed him the year following, whereas had his death happen'd before such Election, another must have been Elected within three days after, to have supplied the Chair for the remaining part of his year, that is till the Swearing of the new Elected one, which is always the day after *Candlemas* day.

1704. Elias Pawson.

Metcalf Ingram.
Robert Perrot.

June 30th *Emanuel Justice* Merchant was Elected Alderman in room of *Thomas Dawson* deceased.

1705. Charles Redman.

John Stainforth.
Percival Winterskelf.

In *January* this year died Alderman *John Wood* aged 87. and in *February* Alderman *Gill* died: In *April* this year, *John Welbourn* Apothecary was Elected Alderman

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man in the Room of Alderman *Wood*, and on the 12 May *Robert Benson* Esquire, (now Lord *Bingley*) was elected Alderman in the room of Alderman *Gill*, he having taken his freedom on the 29th ultimo in order to be a Candidate for a Burgess for the City, of which there were three, i. e. Sir *William Robinson* Baronet, *Robert Benson* Esquire Alderman, and *Marmaduke Pricke* Esquire Recorder, the first had 1282. the second 823 and the last 648 Votes.

On *Thursday June* the 14th was begun, and open'd, the School for forty Blue Coat Boys, at *St. Anthony's Hall* on *Peasholm Green*, all to be Lodged, Cloathed, Fed and Taught: The Lodging Room was prepared and furnished with Beds, Bedding &c. As also the Kitchen, and other necessary Rooms, fitted up & furnished, with all necessary Goods and furniture, at the Expence and Charge of the publick Stock of the Corporation. The Fund for Cloathing, Feeding and Teaching the Boys, was laid and begun by a voluntary Subscription of the Clergy Gentry and Citizens, The then Lord Arch-bishop *Dr. John Sharp*, and the then Dean the Reverend and Honourable *Mr. Henry Finch*, each of them Subscribing 10 lib. per Annum and Anonymus in the Deans Family 10 lib. more, and the Reverend and Honourable *Mr. Edward Finch* 6 lib. per Annum, and all the Residentiary's of the Cathedral 40 sh. per Annum each, and the rest of the Clergy of the City every one Subscribing more or less to that good Work: The Lord Mayor and several of the Aldermen, and several Gentlemen Inhabitants in the City, at the same time Subscribing 40 sh. per Annum, particularly *Robert Squire* Esquire

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Esquire, and Member of Parliament for *Scarborough*, was Assisting at every Committee for forming and Establishing the School, and a zealous promoter of the Subscriptions; and other Citizens, especially of the 24 and Common Councill, Subscribed according to their Abilities, and good Will; which in all amounted at the first Opening of the School, to something above 190 *lib. per annum.*

And on *St. Simon* and *St. Jude's* day following, the Charity School for 20 Grey Coat Girls was begun and open'd, to be Lodg'd, Fed, Taught and Cloathed by Subscriptions as the Boys, and was begun and set on foot by several Gentlewomen in the City, particularly *Mrs. Frances Thornhill* a Devout Virgin, who Subscribed 5 *lib: per Annum* her self, and used a great deal of Industry and Application, to promote Subscriptions amongst the Ladys, and was assisted in that good Work by that good Lady *Mrs. Sharp*, Wife to the then Lord Arch-bishop, who subscribed 10 *lib: per Annum*, and paid it during her Lords Life; as also by the Honourable Lady *Mary Fenwick* Relict of Sir *John Fenwick* (beheaded) who during her life, was a great Benefactress to the School, by all which, and *Mrs. Frances Thornhill* undertaking to be the Treasurer, and sole Manager, the Undertaking was perfected, and by the Blessing of God both these Schools are like to be upheld, and continued, by the Continuance of the Charitable annual Subscriptions, and particular Gifts & Legacies of well disposed pious, and Charitable Christians, (of which last you have a Catalogue in the Appendix;) and as a Memorial of such Charitable Gifts and Legacies, a Year or two follow-

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Following, the Bench ordered a Table to be set up in the *Guild-Hall* to Record the Person's Names, and the several Gifts and Legacies to these Schools; on *St. Thomas Day* next after, the Reverend Mr. *John Bradley* Prebendary Preached the first Charity Sermon, who before had been indefatigable in his Endeavours, and Solicitations, for Raising and Establishing both these Schools.

In this Year likewise was Finished that beautiful and useful Structure in *Thursday-Market*, for the Benefit and Shelter of the Market People in ill Weather; in the digging of which, for laying the Foundation, was found an ancient Well, very well pav'd and wall'd, and very deep, which for Reasons unknown, had been filled up, but now cleansed, and a Pump put in it for the Benefit of the Neighbourhood.

On *February 1.* this Year, Alderman *Welburn* (Elected but in *April* before) was upon his Solicitation permitted to lay down his Gown, upon paying 100 Pounds to the Corporation.

1706. Emanuel Justice.

James Scourfield.
Leonard Thompson.

April the 17th. *Richard Thompson* Wine-merchant was Elected Alderman, in the room of Alderm. *Welburn* who resigned.

1707. Robert Benson, Esq; } *Thomas Pickering.*
now *Ld. Bingley.* } *Francis Hewett.*

This Year the Wool-market was fixed and settled on *Peaseholme-Green*; the first Market begun in *May*, and the

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the poor Widows in *St. Anthony's* Hospital were removed to *St. Thomas* Hospital to make Conveniencies for Lodging the Wool, and making a Guard Room there for the Soldiers.

This year died Alderman *Peckit*, and Mr. *William Pickering* was elected in his Room, Jan: 9th.

1708. Richard Thompson.

Thomas Bradley.
Robert Hotham

This year was begun and set up by the then Lord Mayor, and six more in Company, by a joynt Stock, a Wollen Manufacture, for working and making all sorts of Stuffs, Calamancoes, Camlets, &c. in order to set the Poor on Work, in Spining Wool.

1709. William Pickering.

John Alderson.
Drury Peak.

This year Alderman *John Forster* gave up his Gown and June 20 *Charles Perrot* Merchant was Elected Alderman in his room. And in November died Alderman *Thomas Moseley*.

1710. Charles Perrot.

William Lister.
William Wightman.

April 5th, *Thomas Pickering* Attorney at Law was Elected Alderman in the room of *Thomas Moseley* deceased.

In October died *Roger Shackleton* Alderman, and December 30 *William Cornwell* Brewer was Elected Alderman in his Room.

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1711. Thomas Pickering.

John Dixon.
Mathew Lindley.

In December this year, *Samuel Dawson* Alderman laid down his Gown by reason of his Age, and other Infirmities, and on *January 11th* *Christopher Hutton* Glover was Elected Alderman in his Room.

1712. William Cornwell.

Mathew Bigg.
William Jackson.

In April died *Thomas Pickering* Alderman, and on the 18th of June, *William Redman* Hosier was elected Alderman in his room.

1713. Christopher Hutton.

William Dobson.
Samuell Clark.

About April *Thomas Adams* Esquire was chosen Recorder, in the room of *Marmaduke Pricket* Esquire, Deceased.

1714. William Redman.

Alexander Lister.
John Williamson.

On Monday August 16th *Robert Davy* Alderman was permitted to lay down his Gown, by reason of his great Age, paying Fifty Pounds to the Corporation, and on the 23d of the same Month *Robert Fairfax* Esq; and Member of Parliament for the City, was Elected Alderman in his room.

On Sunday, August the 1st, died Her Majestie Queen ANNE, and on Tuesday Night, the Third Instant, GEORGE

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GEORGE, Prince, Elector of *Hanover*, &c. was Proclaimed King of *Great-Britain*, &c. in this City by the then Sheriffs, at which Solemnity was His Grace Sir *William Daws* Lord Arch-Bishop of *York*, the two Members of Parliament for the City, Sir *William Robinson* Baronet, and *Robert Fairfax* Esq; &c.

1715. Robert Fairfax Esq; *Tancred Robinson.*
Richard Denton.

This year the Ld. Mayor appointed a Constable and four Watchmen at each of the four Gates of the City, every night, and to walk their Rounds in their several Wards.

In September *Robert Benson* Alderman (then Lord *Bingley*) laid down his Gown, and in October, *Richard Townes* Mercer was Elected Alderman in his Room.

On Thursday January the 5th, *Elias Pawson* Alderman died and in the same Month *Henry Baynes* was chosen in his stead.

1716. Richard Townes. *Edward Jefferson.*
James Barstow.

On February the 4th, *Emanuel Justice* Alderman died.

1717. Henry Banes. *John Whitehead.*
Eleazer Lowcock.

July 3d, *Tancred Robinson* Esquire was Elected Alderman in the Room of *Emanuel Justice* deceased.

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1718. Tancred Robinson, Esq; Samuel Dawson.
Henry Greenwood.

On October 15th Sir William Robinson of Newby Baronet, Member of Parliament and Alderman, who had been a great Benefactor to the City, both as a Magistrate and Representative in Parliament, for several years, and as also by many Benefactions, gave up his Gown, and presented the City with 100 lib.

November 7th John Reed All Trades was Elected Alderman in the Room of Sir William Robinson.

1719. John Reed, Merchant.

THE Reader is desired to take Notice, that the Sheriffs are placed in the Year they were chosen, which is always on the 21st day of September, for which Reason there are none placed for the year 1719. the preceeding Sheriffs for 1718 being those who serve till Michaelmas 1719, and are so to be accounted for all the preceeding years.

APPENDIX.

The Dimensions of YORK Minster.

	Feet	Inch.
T HE Length from the West Door to the Quire Steps. }	241	6
The Lengh of the Quire	124	1
The Breadth of the Quire	044	3
The Length of the whole Church from East to West	484	7
The Breadth of the West End within	105	4
of the East End	102	6
The Breadth of the Middle Ile	045	0
The Breadth from the South Door to the North Window	224	2
The Breadth of the East Window	030	9
The Height of the East middle Ile to the Canopy	102	6
of the middle Ile or Nave to the Canopy	096	0
of the two Steeples at the West End	198	0
of the Lantern to the Canopy	192	0
to the Weather-Cock	234	0
The Height of the Chapter-House to the Canopy	067	10
Wide	061	8

The Names of the Founders, Repairers, and Benefactors.

E DWINUS King of Northumbers, First Founder.	627
Oswaldus King of Northumbers, Second Founder.	632
Wilfredus, Third Founder.	666
Thomas Arch-Bishop of YORK, Fourth Founder.	1068

REPAIRERS.

R OGER Arch-Bishop of YORK, Built the Quire new.	1171
Walter Gray Arch-Bishop of York, Enlarged the Fabrick.	1227
John Romanus, Treasurer of the Church, Built the North Part of the Cross Ile, and the Belfrey in the middle of the Cross.	1250
John Romanus, Arch-Bishop of York, begun the Nave.	1291
William de Melton, Arch-Bishop of York, finished the Nave.	1330
John Thursby, Arch-Bp. of York, begun a new Work of the Qu.	1361
Walter Skirlaw Prebend of Fenton, afterwards Bp. of Durham, Built a great Part of the Belfrey.	1370

BENEFACTORS.

T HE Dean and Chapter at several Times.	Charles I. King of Gr. Britain.
Robert Vavasour, Kt.	Sir Arthur Ingram, Baronet.
William de Percy, Kt.	Richard Stern, Arch-Bishop.
William de Aguiloum.	Lady Mary Beaumont.
William Fitz Alice.	Thomas Craycroft, D.D.
Richard de Dalton.	John Dolbin, Arch-Bishop.
Frances Matthews, Widow.	Thomas Lamplugh, Arch-Bishop.
Tobias Matthews, Arch-Bishop.	Thomas Earl of Falconberge.
	William Earl of Strafford.

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The Names of all the Colleges, Religious Houses, Fryeries, Nunneries, Parish-Churches, and Chappels, which formerly have been, and at present are in the City of T O R K, and Suburbs of the same.

THE Cathedral of *St. Peters*.
 Abby of our Lady, *Bl. Fryers*
 Hospital *St. Leonard's*, Wh. Fryers
 Hospital *St. Nicholas*, Friars Min.
 House of *St. Triniy*, Eriers Auguf.
 House of *St. Andrew*. [Green.
 House of *St. Anthony* in *Peasholme*
 House of *St. Anthony* in *Gillygate*
 College of *St. William*.
 Nunnery of *St. Clements--Thorp*.

CHAPPELS.

S. Stephen on the left of the South
 fide going into the Minster.
 Chappel of our Lady at the Abbey.
 Chappel of our Lady at *Wh. Fryers*.
St. Ann on *Fofs-Bridge*.
St. Ann in the Horse-Fair.
St. James without *Micklegate-bar*
St. Mary-Magdalen.
St. Christopher.
St. Christopher at the Com. Hall.
St. George between *Fosse & Ouse*.
St. Thomas beside *St. Nicholas*.
 Chap. of our Lady in *Mary-gate*.
St. Catherine in *Haver-lane*.
 Bishop's Chappel in the Field be-
 sides *Clementthorp*.
 Parsonage of the Horse-Fair.
 Hospital & Chappel of *St. Thomas*,
 without *Monck-Barr*.
 The Spitle of *St. Loy* at *Monck-*
Bridge End.
 The Spitle House in *Fisher-gate*
 beside *St. Ellens*.

CHURCHES.

St. Mary in *Castlegate*.
St. Mary in *Lathrop*.

St. Mary on Bishop-Hill, Younger
St. Mary on Bishop-Hill, Elder.
All-hallows in the Pavement.
All-hallows in North-street.
All-hallows in *Peasholme*.
All-hallows in *Fisbergate*.
St. Trinity in *Micklegate*.
St. Trinity in *Curia Regis*.
St. Trinity in *Gotheramgate*.
 The Holy Crofs in *Fossegate*.
St. John the Evangelist at *Ouse*
Bridge End.
St. John Delpike beside the *Minst*.
St. John in *Hungate*.
St. Ellen in *Stonegate*.
St. Ellen on the Walls.
St. Ellen in *Fisbergate*.
St. Michael de Belfrey.
St. Michael at *Ouse Bridge End*.
St. Martin in *Coney-Street*.
St. Martin in *Micklegate*.
St. Peter the Little.
St. Peter in the Willows.
St. Maurice in *Monkgate*.
St. Margret in *Walmgate*.
St. Gregory.
St. Sampsons in *Thursday-Market*.
St. Wilfred in *Blake-street*.
St. Cuthbert in *Lathrop*.
St. Dyonis in *Walmgate*.
St. Andrew in *Fisbergate*.
St. Saviours in *Saviourgate*.
St. Lawrence without *Walmgate*.
St. George at *Bean-hill*.
St. Ollaves in *Mary-gate*.
St. Gyles in *Gilly-gate*.
St. Edmund without *Walmgate*.
St. Andrew in *St. Andrewgate*.
St. Nicholas without *Walmgate*.

The APPENDIX.

Benefactors to the Charity Schools, begun and founded in the Mayoralty of *Charles Redman* Esq; a great Promoter and Benefactor to it.

Gifts and Legacies to the Boys.

	lib.	s.	d.
S R. <i>William Robinson</i> .	100	00	0
<i>Robert Benson</i> Esq; (now Lord <i>Bingley</i> .)	250	00	0
<i>Charles Perrott</i> Esq; Alderman.	020	00	0
The Lady <i>Hewley</i> .	100	00	0
<i>Richard Stern</i> Esq;	100	00	0
Dr. <i>Dearing</i> Dean of <i>Rippon</i> .	020	00	0
<i>John Wood</i> , Esq;	020	00	0
The Reverend Mr. <i>Leneve Boughton</i> .	010	00	0
<i>Robert Fairfax</i> , Esq; Alderman.	050	00	0
<i>William Headlam</i> , Esq;	040	00	0
<i>William Wickham</i> , Esq;	009	00	0
<i>Richard Roundell</i> , Esq;	100	00	0
<i>Thomas Hesletine</i> , Esq; gave by Will	010	00	0
<i>Thomas Harrison</i> , Gent. gave by Will	020	00	0
Mr. <i>Jo. Webster</i> , by Will	020	00	0
Mr. <i>Thomas Empson</i> , by Will	020	00	0
The Lady <i>Hewley</i> by Will	100	00	0
Mrs. <i>Squire</i> .	100	00	0
Dr. <i>Fall</i> Precenter, by Will	010	00	0
<i>Marmaduke Pricket</i> , Esq; Recorder, by Will.	040	00	0
Dr. <i>Stainforth</i> , Residentiary.	040	00	0
Mr. <i>Jo. Bolling</i> , by Will.	020	00	0
<i>John Headlam</i> , Esq; by Will	040	00	0
Mr. <i>Dealtary</i> , by Will.	100	00	0
Mr. <i>Thomas Sugden</i> , by Will.	050	00	0

Gifts and Legacies to the Girl's Charity School.

	lib.	s.	d.
T HE Lady <i>Hewley</i> gave	100	00	0
Ditto, by Will	100	00	0
<i>Richard Stern</i> , Esq;	100	00	0
Mrs. <i>Squire</i>	100	00	0
Mrs. <i>Gee</i> by Will, by Lottery Tickets <i>per Annum</i> .	007	00	0
Mrs. <i>Ann Dealtary</i> by Will	010	00	0
<i>John Headlam</i> , Esq; by Will	020	00	0
<i>Ann</i> , Widow of <i>William Headlam</i> , Esq; by Will	010	00	0
<i>Mary</i> , Wife of Mr. <i>John Foster</i> , by Will.	010	00	0
Alderman <i>Fairfax's</i> Lady gave	040	00	0
Mrs. <i>Frances Thornhill</i> , by Will	100	00	0

GIFTS

The APPENDIX.

GIFTS, <i>per Annum.</i>		lib.	s.
H IS Grace the Ld. Arch-Bp. of YORK , to the Boys		10	00
The Honourable Mr. <i>Henry Finch</i> , Dean of <i>York</i> .		10	00
Ditto, To the Girls		03	00
<i>Anonymus</i> , paid by the Dean to the Boys.		10	00
The Reverend and Honour. Mr. <i>Edward Finch</i> to the Boys		06	00
His Lady to the Girls		10	00
<i>Thomas Hutton</i> , Esq; to the Boys 2 <i>l.</i> to the Girls 3 <i>l.</i>		05	00
The Ladies of the <i>Mondy</i> Assembly out of their Stock (besides their particular Subscriptions) to the Boys	} --	05	00
The Ladies of the <i>Thursday</i> Assembly out of their Stock (besides their particular Subscriptions) to the Girls			

T H E S E, besides the Subscriptions of the other Clergy and Gentle Ladies and Gentlewomen, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, Twenty-Four Common-Council, and other Citizens, some 40 some 20 Shillings, &c. (of which there is an Annual List printed) are paid Yearly into the Treasurer's Hands for the Subsistence of the said Schools, and others to many to be Inserted in this place.

And for doing Justice to the Memory of the Gentlemen, the first Encouragers of this good Work, and by whose Endeavours it was brought to Perfection; I have here following given a List of them, as they met in several Committees, for considering on proper Means for the Setting up a Charity School in the City of **YORK**, viz.

<i>Charles Redman</i> , Esq; Ld. Mayor	<i>Samuel Buxton</i> .	} of the 24
<i>Sir William Robinson</i> .	<i>Thomas Agar</i> .	
<i>Dr. Stainforth</i> , Residentiary of the Cathedral Church of <i>York</i> .	<i>John Thompson</i> .	
<i>Marmaduke Pricket</i> , Esq; Record.	<i>Bartholm. Geldart</i> .	
<i>Robert Squire</i> , Esq;	<i>William Redman</i> .	
<i>Samuel Dawson</i> .	<i>William Cornewell</i> .	} of the 24
<i>Robert Davye</i> .	<i>Henry Baynes</i> .	
<i>Roger Shakleton</i>	<i>Mr. Richard Thompson</i> .	
<i>John Pecket</i> .	<i>Mr. Thomas Thompson</i> .	
<i>Elias Pawson</i> .	<i>Richard Reynolds</i> , Foreman of the Common-Council.	
<i>Emanuel Justice</i> .	<i>Thomas Bradley</i> .	
<i>John Welburn</i> .	<i>Mr. George Mashbrother</i> ,	
<i>Robert Perrott</i> , Sheriff.	<i>Mr. Richard Cordukes</i> ,	
The Reverend Mr. <i>John Bradley</i> .	<i>Mr. Robert Hotham</i> .	

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